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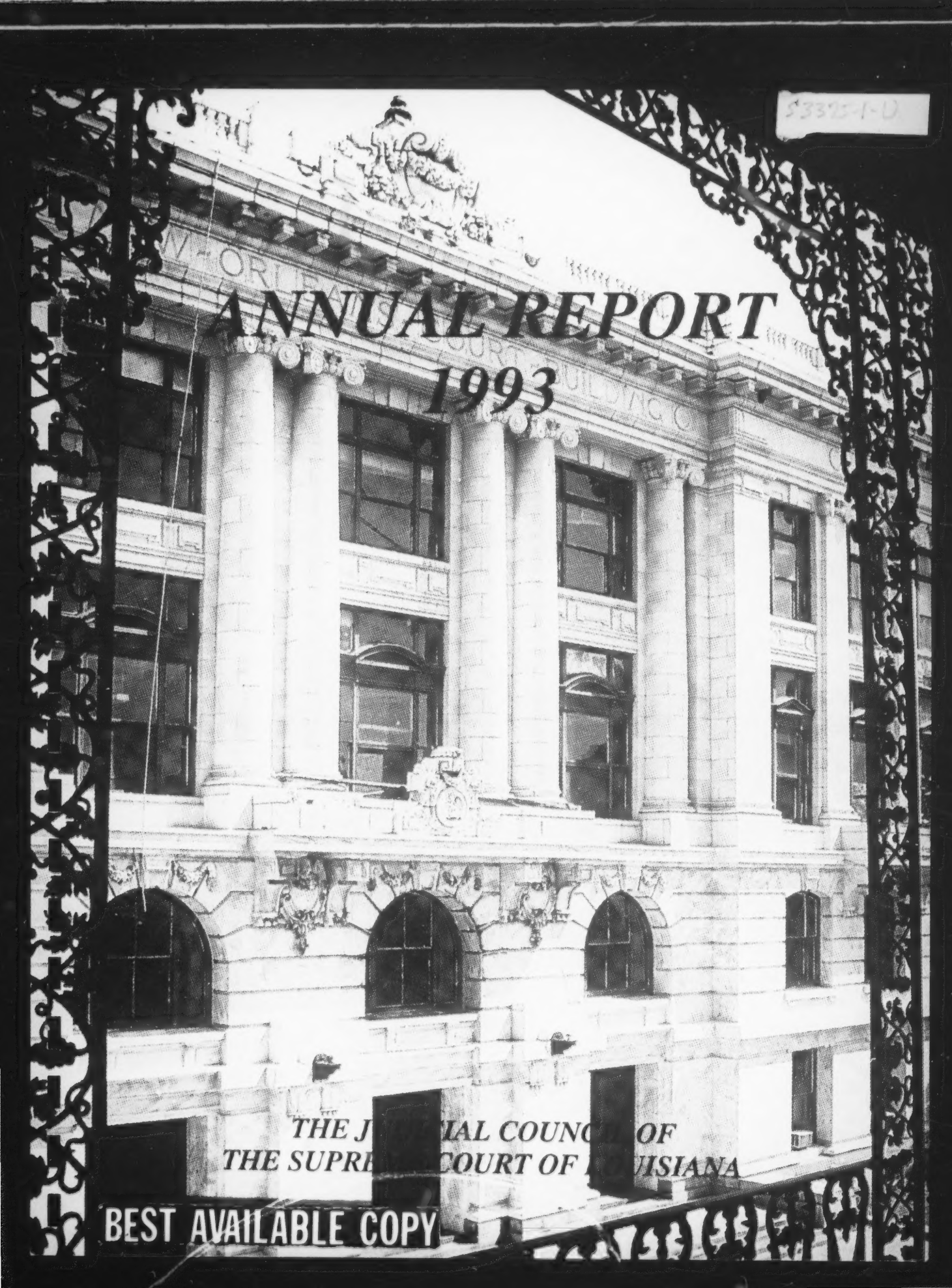

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Cover: *The former Supreme Court Building located at 400 Royal Street was completed in 1908 to house the Louisiana Supreme Court, the State Law Library, the Attorney General's Office, the Courts of Appeal, the Civil and City Courts, as well as several City and State governmental agencies. For half a century this imposing building in the center of the Vieux Carre was the seat of judicial functions. In 1958 the courts and other agencies were moved to the government complex on Loyola Avenue. The Courts building became the property of the State of Louisiana and was gradually relegated to a series of temporary and makeshift uses.*

Now, following years of planning, restoration has begun on the historic old building and it is anticipated that the building will once again house the Louisiana Supreme Court, Courts of Appeal, Law Library and Attorney General.

In keeping with the renewed interest in the Court's history, a group of judges, attorneys and historians formed the Supreme Court of Louisiana Historical Society for the purpose of fostering the study and appreciation of Louisiana's unique legal heritage. Its mission is "to preserve the history of the Supreme Court of Louisiana, to research, publish and create items and materials of historical interest regarding the said Court, and to make the results of its research, published materials, and other items of historical interest available for educational purposes."

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(Left to right): **Associate Justice Revius O. Ortique, Jr.; Associate Justice Pike Hall, Jr.; Associate Justice Jack C. Watson; Associate Justice Walter F. Marcus, Jr.; Chief Justice Pascal F. Calogero, Jr.; Associate Justice James L. Dennis; Associate Justice Harry T. Lemmon; and Associate Justice Catherine D. Kimball.** *Photo by: Reppel Studio*

THE CHIEF JUSTICE AND ASSOCIATE JUSTICES OF THE LOUISIANA SUPREME COURT

CHIEF JUSTICE
PASCAL F. CALOGERO, JR.

Chief Justice Calogero is elected from the First Supreme Court District comprised of the following parishes: **JEFFERSON, ORLEANS, PLAQUEMINES, AND ST. BERNARD.**

ASSOCIATE JUSTICE
WALTER F. MARCUS, JR.

Justice Marcus is elected from the First Supreme Court District comprised of the following parishes: **JEFFERSON, ORLEANS, PLAQUEMINES, AND ST. BERNARD.**

ASSOCIATE JUSTICE
JACK C. WATSON

Justice Watson is elected from the Third Supreme Court District comprised of the following parishes: **ACADIA, ALLEN, AVOYELLES, BEAUREGARD, CALCASIEU, CAMERON, EVANGELINE, GRANT, JEFFERSON DAVIS, LAFAYETTE, AND RAPIDES.**

ASSOCIATE JUSTICE
PIKE HALL, JR.

Justice Hall is elected from the Second Supreme Court District comprised of the following parishes: **BIENVILLE, BOSSIER, CADDO, CLAIBORNE, DESOTO, NATCHITOCHES, RED RIVER, SABINE, VERNON, WEBSTER, AND WINN.**

ASSOCIATE JUSTICE
REVIUS O. ORTIQUE, JR.

Pursuant to Act No. 512 of 1992 and the Consent Decree entered on August 21, 1992 by the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana in *Chisom vs. Edwards*, Justice Ortique was elected from New Orleans to the Court of Appeal, Fourth Circuit for the purpose of serving on the Louisiana Supreme Court. By order of the Louisiana Supreme Court, Justice Ortique was assigned to the Louisiana Supreme Court effective January 1, 1993.

ASSOCIATE JUSTICE
JAMES L. DENNIS

Justice Dennis is elected from the Fourth Supreme Court District comprised of the following parishes: **CALDWELL, CATAHOULA, CONCORDIA, EAST CARROLL, FRANKLIN, JACKSON, LA SALLE, LINCOLN, MADISON, MOREHOUSE, OUACHITA, RICHLAND, TENSAS, UNION, AND WEST CARROLL.**

ASSOCIATE JUSTICE
HARRY T. LEMMON

Justice Lemmon is elected from the Sixth Supreme Court District comprised of the following parishes: **ASCENSION, ASSUMPTION, IBERIA, LAFOURCHE, ST. CHARLES, ST. JAMES, ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST, ST. MARY, ST. MARTIN, TERREBONNE, AND VERMILION.**

ASSOCIATE JUSTICE
CATHERINE D. KIMBALL

Justice Kimball is elected from the Fifth Supreme Court District comprised of the following parishes: **EAST BATON ROUGE, EAST FELICIANA, IBERVILLE, LIVINGSTON, POINTE COUPEE, ST. HELENA, ST. LANDRY, ST. TAMMANY, TANGIPAHOA, WASHINGTON, WEST BATON ROUGE, AND WEST FELICIANA.**

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To the Members of the Supreme Court of Louisiana

To the Members of the Board of Governors of the Louisiana State Bar Association

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I am pleased to submit herewith the Annual Report of the Judicial Council of the Supreme Court of Louisiana for the year 1993. This, the 38th annual report of the Judicial Council, follows the same basic format of our recent reports; however, detailed case load statistics for City and Parish Courts have been included in the statistical section of this report.

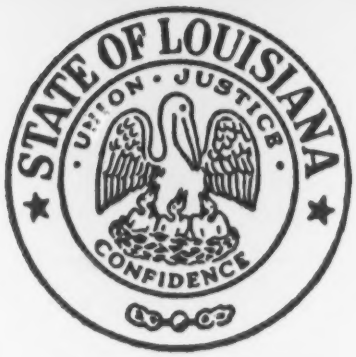
I commend the work of the Judicial Administrator's Office as well as the cooperation of all of the Louisiana Courts and judicial agencies who participated in the preparation of this report.

With kindest regards, I remain

Yours very truly,

Paul F. Calogero, Jr.

Pascal F. Calogero, Jr.



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The Judicial Council

New Judgeship for the Twenty-Third Judicial District Court ....

The Committee to Evaluate Requests for New Judgeships, chaired by Judge Charles R. Scott, received six requests for new judgeships in 1993; following preliminary investigation, three of the requests were withdrawn. Members of the Committee to Evaluate Requests for New Judgeships, working with deputies from the Judicial Administrator's staff, visited the courts in question, examined statistics and interviewed court-related personnel. The committee approved one request and made this recommendation to the Judicial Council which subsequently recommended to the legislature the creation of one new judgeship for the Twenty-Third Judicial District Court, Assumption, Ascension and St. James Parishes. The Louisiana Legislature created the new judgeship in 1993.

Judicial Planning Committee reports: Computer Integrated Courtroom is here ... Planning for Case Management Information System begins ....

Justice James L. Dennis continued to chair the Judicial Planning Committee (J.P.C.) of the Judicial Council. The various J.P.C. subcommittees are responsible for much of the ongoing work of the Judicial Council.

The Science and Technology Subcommittee, chaired by Court of Appeal, Second Circuit Chief Judge Charles A. Marvin and staffed by Deputy Judicial Administrator Ronald Wm. Stritzinger, utilizing a grant from the Louisiana Commission on Law Enforcement (L.C.L.E.), has installed a Computer Integrated Courtroom (C.I.C.) in the courtroom of Judge Leon A. Cannizzaro, Jr. of Orleans Criminal District Court. This pilot project which was supervised by Deputy Judicial Administrator Rose Marie DiVincenti, a member of the subcommittee, links the court reporter's stenotype machine to computers thereby allowing judges and attorneys to have access to previous testimony by touching a key, and the court reporter to produce rough transcripts of testimony during breaks in a trial with fully edited transcripts available at the end of the day.

The Science and Technology Subcommittee had also solicited comment from the judiciary with regard to guidelines for the use of FAX filings in Louisiana courts. The results of this survey proved to be inconclusive.

Additionally, the Subcommittee was successful in having legislation passed which added one dollar to the court costs of all felony, misdemeanor, and ordinance convictions, including traffic, for the support of the C.M.I.S. project, Case Management Information System, for trial courts. In this connection Justice Catherine D. Kimball has been named Chair of a project which will create a statewide task force to determine the needs of the Clerks of Court, the Courts, the State Police, Department of Corrections, Division of Elections, and other agencies that may play a role in the C.M.I.S. project. The work product of C.M.I.S. will be a felony disposition reporting system and a master plan for a trial court case management information system.

Judge Salvadore T. Mulé, chair of the Juvenile Courts Subcommittee, staffed by Deputy Judicial Administrator Nancy C. Chachere, and the members of his Subcommittee have been active in the Families in Need of Services Task Force which is part of the outcome of the Children's Code Project. This group is working with a Judicial Council Task Force in the formation of regions for juvenile service. The Judicial Council restated its support for a proposed plan to implement a statewide regional juvenile court system utilizing the services of volunteer judges for assignment.

"You The Jury" distributed ... 100% response to annual survey ...

The Juvenile Courts Subcommittee is also working with the Science and Technology Subcommittee to make uniform the reporting of juvenile statistics. Because this reporting has not been uniform, it has been difficult to accurately reflect the amount of work done in juvenile courts and has been almost impossible to compare statistics on a national basis.

The Courts/Community Relations Subcommittee, chaired by Mr. Richard F. Knight and staffed by Paulette H. Holahan, Deputy Judicial Administrator, completed a seventeen-minute film entitled "You the Jury" in 1993. This film was designed for viewing by prospective jurors statewide and was distributed to all district courts in the state. Mary Ethel Siefken, member of the subcommittee, donated freely of time and talent, both authoring the script and serving as liaison with the production company during filming. Funding for the production was provided by a grant from the Louisiana Bar Foundation.

The annual survey of the state's district courts which is conducted for the J.P.C. each year by Deputy Judicial Administrator Paulette H. Holahan showed that state funding of Law Clerks ranked as the number one need noted by the judiciary in 1993 followed by the need for more space (for courtrooms, for witnesses, for attorneys, for jurors, for juveniles). The lack of space in most courthouses figured prominently in the concern for security in the courts which ranked as the number three concern. Salaries for court personnel, money for Indigent Defenders and an overall interest in state funding for the courts followed in that order. Response was once more received from 100% of the district courts in the state.

Task Force on Women in the Courts recommendations approved ... Mediation program started ... Racial and Ethnic Fairness Task Force formed ....

The Louisiana Task Force on Women in the Courts, chaired by Judge Miriam G. Waltzer, having completed its study and published its report, asked the Judicial Council for

approval of its recommendations. The Judicial Council approved all of the recommendations in the Task Force report as worthy of consideration by the entities with the power to enforce them. The Task Force report (now in its second printing) has been distributed to all those asked to implement change. Recommendations were directed to the Louisiana State Bar Association, the judiciary, the Judicial Council, the Judicial College, the legislature, Louisiana's district attorneys, and numerous other groups. The Task Force expects to follow-up with the intention of compiling information as to the progress of recommendation implementation.

Two members of a legislative Task Force on Alternative Dispute Resolution directed to study the concept of mediation in Louisiana's courts were appointed by the Judicial Council. They are Orleans Civil District Court Judge Okla Jones, II, and Orleans First City Court Judge Niles Hellmers. With the help of Deputy Judicial Administrator Timothy F. Averill who staffs the Task Force, a pilot mediation program was begun in Orleans Civil District Court and New Orleans First City Court which will continue until August 1994.

The newly created Louisiana Racial and Ethnic Fairness in the Courts Task Force is co-chaired by Judge Ulysses G. Thibodeaux and Judge Max N. Tobias, Jr. and staffed by Deputy Judicial Administrator Anthony J. Gagliano. During 1993, the group determined that it would adopt a "visioning" approach to its mission and process but would incorporate some data gathering and fact-finding into its process. The scope of the Task Force will be limited to the activities of the courtroom, that is, to all matters over which a judge would have control. The Task Force has set September 1, 1995 as the target date for completion of its work.

Cameras in the trial courts? Task Force formed ....

Should cameras be allowed in the trial courts of Louisiana? This is a question being debated by the Task Force to Study Cameras in the Trial Courts of Louisiana, chaired by Judge Graydon K. Kitchens, Jr. and staffed by Deputy Judicial Administrator Paulette H. Holahan, who is also a member of the Task Force. This group will present its findings to the Judicial Council and to the Louisiana Supreme Court. Included in its charge is the formulation of guidelines governing the presence of cameras should the Supreme Court ultimately decide to allow them. This Task Force is composed of judges, defense and plaintiff attorneys, prosecutors, and representatives from television, newspaper, and radio.

Justices of the Peace Study ... Records Management Committee ... City Courts jurisdiction (Act 541) ....

In another area of activity, the Attorney General's Office is presently working to clarify the laws concerning the Justice of the Peace courts and to improve training for Justices of the Peace. The Attorney General's Office is also

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Standing (Left to Right): Judge A. J. Planchard, representing the Louisiana District Judges Association; Judges Patrick M. Schott and James L. Cannella, representing the Conference of Court of Appeal Judges. Seated (Left to Right): Judge Nancy Amato Konrad, representing Louisiana Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges; and Chief Justice Pascal F. Calogero, Jr. of the Louisiana Supreme Court, Chair of the Judicial Council.

Standing (Left to Right): Hugh M. Collins, Ph.D., Judicial Administrator; Mr. Robert M. Murphy, representing Louisiana State Bar Association. Seated (Left to Right): Representative Joseph Accardo, Jr., representing Louisiana House of Representatives; Justice James L. Dennis of the Louisiana Supreme Court.

Standing (Left to Right): Mr. Herschel E. Richard, Jr., representing Louisiana State Bar Association; Judge Richard N. Ware, representing Louisiana Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges; Judge Thomas W. Tanner, Retired, representing Louisiana State Law Institute. Seated (Left to Right): Ms. Debbie D. Hudnall, representing Louisiana Clerks of Court Association; and Ms. Virginia K. Shehee, citizen representative.

Missing from Picture: Judge John R. Joyce, representing Louisiana District Judges Association; Ms. E. Jane Sherman, representing Young Lawyers Section of the Louisiana State Bar Association; Senator Ron Landry, representing Louisiana State Senate; Mr. Walter Naquin, Jr., representing Louisiana District Attorneys Association.

The Judicial Administrator Reports

HUGH M. COLLINS, Ph.D.
Judicial Administrator

I am pleased to report that 1993 was a year of significant progress. Many of the more note-worthy improvements in the court system were conceived and developed by the Judicial Council whose committees and subcommittees are staffed by deputy judicial administrators. For a report on these, see the report of the Judicial Council beginning on page four.

One project is of particular importance and is worthy of special mention. The passage of legislation funding the fast track development of a court based felony disposition reporting system and of a master plan for the advancement of automation in the courts was a landmark event. This legislation and its funding recipient, the Court Management Information System (CMIS), will dramatically improve the management information available to the Judicial Council and the Supreme Court. In addition, it comes just in time to begin providing the state with the resources needed to meet the mandates included in new federal legislation, such as, the Brady bill. Lastly and most importantly it provides the seed money needed to begin the modernization of court technology in Louisiana.

Dramatic progress has also taken place in other areas. The Supreme Court has responded to record levels of inquiries to the Judiciary Commission, concerning possible judicial misconduct, by authorizing the creation of a special counsel's position for the Commission. It is anticipated that the creation of this new position will decrease the time it takes the Commission to respond to citizen complaints and will also provide much needed assistance in the preparation of cases which are presented to the Judiciary Commission and subsequently to the Supreme Court.

The infrastructures of the Supreme Court and the Courts of Appeal were significantly improved by the creation of new personnel policies which reflect the mandates of the Americans with Disabilities Act. In addition, with the help of the National Center for State Courts and the Louisiana Civil Service Commission, a project to develop a coherent, up-to-date pay plan for the Supreme Court and Courts of Appeal was begun in 1993 and is expected to be completed in early 1994.

Another event which portends things to come took place when judges and a member of my staff attended a national conference on strategic planning and courts futures projects. The information and techniques gained from this conference have already been shared with a number of Louisiana court organizations and will play a significant role in the future plans of this office.

One other particularly significant project was launched in late 1993 under the direction of the Chief Justice. Exhaustive research is being done by my staff into the current status of Louisiana's indigent defense system and into fiscally responsible improvements which can be undertaken to guarantee constitutionally mandated representation to indigent defendants. **H.M.C.**

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working to determine a fee schedule for Justices of the Peace. The Judicial Council approved, in concept, the proposed effort by the Attorney General's Office with regard to Justices of the Peace, with the understanding that completed plans will be submitted to the Judicial Council for approval. All plans will ultimately be submitted to the Louisiana Supreme Court for approval.

Uniform transcript format guidelines for court reporters were formulated by the Records Management Committee, chaired by Judge Brady M. Fitzsimmons, staffed by Deputy Judicial Administrator Paulette H. Holahan and of which Deputy Judicial Administrator Rose Marie DiVincenti is a member. The effective date of these guidelines is February 1, 1994. The Records Management Committee, through the work of State Archivist Dr. Donald J. Lemieux, continues to study documentation retention and expects to issue a comprehensive report in 1994.

At the request of representatives of the Tulane University Law School, the committee will also consider the use of recycled paper in Louisiana's courts.

The Judicial Council also approved a proposed increase in jurisdiction for most of Louisiana's City Courts (Orleans already has jurisdiction up to $20,000) from $10,000 to $15,000. The 1993 legislature passed Act 541 with regard to City Court jurisdiction.

The Judicial Council of the Supreme Court of Louisiana was established in 1950 and received its first funding by the state legislature in 1954. Its task is to evaluate and monitor the operations and procedures of the judicial system of the state. In this capacity, it serves as a clearinghouse for ideas for simplifying and expediting judicial procedures and/or correcting shortcomings in the system. **P.H.H.**

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Honorable Jack C. Watson
Associate Justice

Honorable Harry T. Lemmon
Associate Justice

Honorable Pike Hall, Jr.
Associate Justice

Honorable Catherine D. Kimball
Honorable Pike Hall, Jr.

Honorable Revius O. Ortique, Jr.
Associate Justice

STAFF
Paulette H. Holahan
Deputy Judicial Administrator

Law Library of Louisiana 1993 Annual Report

Whether one enjoys singing in a choir, playing in a softball league, or volunteering for a charity, the sense of working as part of a team is especially rewarding. During 1993 the staff of the Law Library of Louisiana experienced a sense of accomplishment as members of the Supreme Court team and essential partners in Louisiana's legal community. In order to respond more effectively to the needs of the state's judiciary, bar, and general public, the staff has developed close working relationships with all three constituencies. The challenges presented by the information technology revolution compel us to learn from and cooperate with each other.

One prominent example of teamwork has been participation of reference librarian Cathy Lemann and director Carol Billings on the Task Force on the Cost-Effective Provision of Information Resources for Louisiana Courts. Appointed by Chief Justice Calogero in response to questions raised by the introduction of CD-ROM legal publications, the Task Force comprises judges, judicial administrators, staff attorneys, computer experts and librarians. Chaired by Billings, the group is studying ways that our state courts may share expertise and cooperate to extend high quality legal information service throughout the system. One important result has been the authorization of a new "Public Domain Citation Format" to take effect January 1, 1994 for Louisiana court opinions, which will enable legal researchers and practitioners to employ the products of multiple publishers.

Library staff members have also been cooperating with other Supreme Court departments to bring about a local area computer network for the building. Soon librarians will acquire the software to automate the catalog and serials record so that users both in the library and throughout the building can access the collection via computer. To help implement the Americans with Disabilities Act for the Court, the building's official ombudsman, reference librarian Cathy Lemann, and other staff have been working with judicial administrators. Janice Shull and Cathy Lemann have both prepared attractive lobby exhibits to inform and educate visitors to the building.

Director Carol Billings was pleased to have the opportunity to inform judges and court staff from throughout the state of the library's services when she spoke to municipal clerks and when Cathy Lemann joined her at the state judges' conference in speaking to judicial administrators and manning a library information display.

Reference librarians Marie Erickson and Cathy Lemann, assisted by Janice Shull, continue to provide excellent information and research services to the courts, attorneys and the public. From the only Louisiana library offering Lexis and Westlaw computer-assisted legal research for the public, our librarians performed 987 searches for non-court users during 1993--an annual increase of 40%. Searches for court personnel rose by 15% to 266. Non-legal research, such as background material for justices' speeches, represents a substantial portion of the reference department's work. Interlibrary loan activity increased once more, with 282 items loaned and 131 borrowed.

Like the demand for the library's services, the cost of maintaining the collection continues to climb. The total expenditure for books, subscription and supplementation for fiscal year 92/93 was $363,774, a 7.7% increase over the previous year. A mere 4.6% of the total was used for new titles; nearly all of those funds were self-generated rather than appropriated. During the new year it is our intention to take every advantage of cost-saving measures in order to restore a number of subscriptions for loose-leaf treatises that have lapsed for lack of funds.

Front Row (Left to Right): Henry Hobbs; D. D. Thompson; Carol Billings, Director; Betty Kern; David Laurent. Back Row (Left to Right): Catherine Lemann; Ruth Mahoney; Marie Erickson; William Luster; Janice Shull.

The number of new titles added to the collection in 1993, 579, represented an 18% increase over last year. Nearly two-thirds of the total, however, were free publications--mostly federal, state, and State Justice Institute depository items. Cataloging/Documents Librarian Janice Shull, assisted by D.D. Thompson, also "weeded" 586 titles from the collection, largely as a result of replacing hard-copy superseded statutes from many states with microfiche versions to save space.

The substitution of microfiche for bound state statutes also is underway primarily as a means of preserving access to the old materials more effectively. Acquisitions Librarian Betty Kern reports a total of 2,425 volumes weeded during the year. Combined with an additional 568 volumes superseded by new updates, the total withdrawals exceed the 2,191 additions to the collection by 802. D.D. Thompson reports the acquisition of 21, 534 microfiches, with superseded state statutes representing 37% of the total and federal documents representing 47%.

A dramatic example of the effect of technology on the demand for library service, telefax transmissions to and from the library rose substantially. Library assistant Ruth Mahoney reported a 26% increase in faxes transmitted, 1,211; 365 faxes received represent a 31% increase.

Responding to the heightened level of library activity, long-time library assistants Bill Luster and Dave Laurent have kept up faithfully with their duties maintaining the supplementation and order of the collection. Luster also keeps the busy photocopiers running, and Laurent handles important tasks relating to bookkeeping.

The staff continues to be actively involved in professional development opportunities. Cathy Lemann spoke at the Charleston, West Virginia meeting of the Southeastern Chapter of the American Association of Law Libraries on the challenges facing the attorney/librarian assisting the public. Carol Billings travelled to Blaine, Washington, to participate in the program for the National Conference of Chief Justices and State Court Administrators. Elected in April to the office of vice president/president-elect of AALL, Billings also serves on the association's Strategic Planning Committee. Acquisitions/serials expert Betty Kern appropriately works as a member of AALL's Committee on Relations with Information Vendors. In addition to co-editing the New Orleans Law Librarian with Cathy Lemann for the local AALL Chapter, Janice Shull serves on the state's Depository Library Council. Marie Erickson continues to teach legal research in UNO's Paralegal Institute.

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Louisiana Judicial College 1993 Annual Report

The year 1993 marked a "changing of the guard" for the Louisiana Judicial College. Professor Frank L. Maraist of the LSU Law Faculty, who became executive director of the Judicial College in 1985, announced his "retirement" from the position, effective February 1, 1994. His well-qualified replacement: Professor Cheney C. Joseph, Jr., also a member of the faculty (and former vice chancellor) at the LSU Law Center, a frequent lecturer on Judicial College programs, and a former state district judge *pro tempore,* state district attorney, and United States Attorney.

During 1993, the Judicial College continued to provide quality continuing legal education for Louisiana's judges, presenting programs at nine meetings.

Training the state's experienced judges as judicial educators remains a major project of the College. In December 1993, the second special "Training the Trainers" Seminar was conducted; 20 experienced judges received special training in adult education and in judicial education at the seminar. These judges and those who attended the first "Training the Trainers" seminar will form the faculty on upcoming judicial education programs.

In addition to "Training the Trainers," the Judicial College provided educational programs at five judges' conferences: Joint Meeting of the City and Juvenile Judges (75 attendees); Annual Spring Judges' Conference (241 attendees); Summer School for Judges (211 attendees); Annual Fall Judges' Conference (203 attendees); and the Annual Fourth and Fifth Circuit Judges' Conference (20 attendees).

The College also sponsored or co-sponsored three special seminars during the year. The conferences were: Evidence and Procedure Seminar (73 attendees); 1993 Joint Meeting with Mississippi Judiciary (40 Louisiana judges attending); and Annual Torts Seminar (62 attendees).

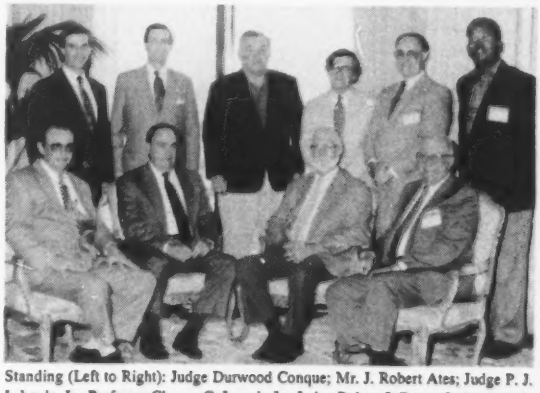
During 1993, the College revised and republished the Louisiana Judicial Law Clerk's Manual and distributed it, without cost, to all Louisiana judges who have law clerks. The College also published and distributed, without cost to Louisiana judges, The Louisiana Judges' Criminal Benchbook, Volume 1.

The College continued its efforts to keep judges abreast of recent developments by publishing its Criminal Law Newsletter and the Summary of Legislative Developments. The Judicial College also contributed in 1993 to the development of the proposed new edition of the biographies of Louisiana judges.

Many outstanding legal scholars and other experts made presentations at Judicial College programs in 1993. Among the speakers were Professors Thomas Galligan, Cheney Joseph, Eulis Simien, William Hawkland and Frank Maraist of the LSU Law Center; Professor David W. Robertson, University of Texas School of Law; Professor Thomas Mauet, University of Arizona; Professor Jerry Phillips, University of Tennessee; Dr. Charles Gifford, University of New Orleans; Professor Edward Kionka, Southern Illinois University; Professor Roger Henderson, University of Arizona; Dr. Ian Russ (Child and Family therapist), Encino; Dr. Bonnie Lewis, Southeastern Louisiana University; Robert E. Bermudez, New Orleans Family Services; Judge David Phares, Gilbert Municipal Court; Judge Ryan Rheinhold, Pinetop/Lakeside Court, Lakeside, Arizona; Sarah Buel, Suffolk County District Attorney's Office, Boston; Judge Henry Politz, Chief Judge, U.S. Court of Appeals, 5th Circuit; Judge John Brundage, Marshall, Michigan; Keith Leenhouts (President, Volunteers in Prevention, Probation and Prisons, Inc.); Judge Richard Gebelein, Wilmington, Delaware; Judge Braxton Kittrell, Mobile, Alabama; Judge Martha Glaze, Jonesboro, Georgia; and Judge Frederick McDonald, Knoxville, Tennessee.

Louisiana judges who served as speakers or panelists at Judicial College programs during 1993 included Chief Justice Pascal F. Calogero, Jr., and Associate Justices Harry T. Lemmon and Catherine D. Kimball of the Louisiana Supreme Court; Judges Nancy Amato Konrad, Billy Ezell, Harmon Drew, John Campbell, Paul deMahy, Jimmie Peters, Felicia Toney Williams, Burrell Carter, Sidney Ordoyne, Ronald Sholes, Thomas Daley, E. A. de la Houssaye, Charles Jones, Charles Scott, Stuart Kay, William Redmann (retired), Okla Jones, Graydon Kitchens, Clayton James, Durwood Conque, Richard Ganucheau, Vanessa Guidry-Whipple, William Byrnes, Byron Hebert, Gary Bowers, Robert Klees, John Shea, Mary Ann Vial Lemmon, C. Hearn Taylor, Ralph Tyson, Jo Ellen Grant, Robert Katz, and Ward Fontenot.

Among the attorneys making presentations at Judicial College programs were Dominic Gianna, Ginger Roberts Berrigan, Duncan Kemp, Nancy Chachere, Karen E. Dugas, Maxwell Kees, Christine Lipsey, Michael W. McKay, Michael A. Patterson, Edward J. Walters, Jr., Trevor G. Bryan, Ronald E. Corkern, Philip E. Henderson, Katherine Clark Hennessey, Bruce M. Mintz, John W. Perry, J. Michael Veron, Marc W. Judice, Jennifer Jones Bercier, Gerald Meunier, Adrianne Baumgartner, Herschel E. Richard, Jr. and Karen Hallstrom, Research Director, Louisiana Children's Code Project. **F.L.M.**



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Missing from Picture: Judge John R. Joyce; Judge Niles A. Helmers; Representative Huntington B. Downer, Jr.; Executive Counsel Albert I. Donovan; Mr. Harry S. Hardin, III; Judge E. L. Guidry, Jr.; Judge Robert G. James; and Judge Lynette Y. Feucht.

The Judiciary Commission of Louisiana
1993 Annual Report

The Judiciary Commission of Louisiana, created in 1968 by an amendment to Article IX, Constitution of 1921, is continued in existence by Article V, Section 25, Constitution of 1974.

Powers

On recommendation of the Judiciary Commission, the Supreme Court may censure, suspend with or without salary, remove from office, or involuntarily retire a judge for willful misconduct relating to his official duty, willful and persistent failure to perform his duty, persistent and public conduct prejudicial to the administration of justice that brings the judicial office into disrepute, and conduct while in office which would constitute a felony, or conviction of a felony.

On recommendation of the Judiciary Commission, the Supreme Court may disqualify a judge from exercising any judicial function, without loss of salary, during pendency of disciplinary proceedings in the Supreme Court.

On recommendation of the Judiciary Commission, the Supreme Court may retire involuntarily a judge for disability that seriously interferes with the performance of his duties and that is or is likely to become permanent.

The Commission's jurisdiction includes justices and judges of all courts of this state, including commissioners, magistrates, justices of the peace, and mayors who perform judicial functions.

Confidentiality

In accordance with Rule XXIII, Section 23, of the Rules of the Supreme Court, all documents filed with and evidence and proceedings before the Commission are confidential unless and until the Commission files a recommendation for discipline or retirement with the Supreme Court. The record filed by the Commission with the Supreme Court and proceedings before the Supreme Court are not confidential. Once a recommendation is filed with the Supreme Court, it becomes public as any other case before the Court.

Membership

Membership of the Judiciary Commission as of December 31, 1993:

Judge William Norris, III, Chair
Lynn M. Luker, Esquire, Vice-Chair
Judge A. Clayton James
Jacob S. Segura, Jr., M.D.
Edward M. Simmons
Paul D. Connick, Jr., Esquire
Judge Okla Jones, II
Alvin S. Merlin, M.D.
Bob F. Wright, Esquire

Staff:

Hugh M. Collins, Ph.D., Chief Executive Officer
Timothy J. Palmatier, Deputy Chief Executive Officer
Nancy C. Chachere, Deputy Chief Executive Officer
Timothy F. Averill, Deputy Chief Esecutive Officer
John L. Stritzinger, III, Investigator

Complaints

During 1993, 1,671 complaints against judges and justices of the peace have been received in this office through mail, phone contact, and in person. Of these, 94 resulted in docketing and extensive investigation. Additionally, 19 investigations remained open from 1992. A majority of the complaints were resolved rather quickly as they were not within the jurisdiction of the Commission because they were (1) legal rather than ethical matters; (2) undocumentable; or (3) frivolous. The more serious cases which resulted in extensive investigation included complaints alleging violations of Canon 2, "A Judge Should Avoid Impropriety and the Appearance of Impropriety in All Activities"; Canon 3, "A Judge Should Perform the Duties of Office Impartially and Diligently"; Canon 7, "A Judge Should Refrain from Political Activity Inappropriate to Judicial Office"; allegations of misconduct in exercising judicial discretion, unprofessional conduct, undue delays in rendering decisions, and failure to perfonm judicial duties, among others, and were filed by litigants, interested citizens, and by the Commission's own motion.

Dispositions

During the year the Commission disposed of 1,625 complaints, including 75 which involved extended investigation. These matters were either closed because of insufficient evidence of judicial misconduct or were otherwise resolved to the satisfaction of the Commission. Two cases were filed in the Supreme Court with recommendations for disciplinary action. Sixty-five cases are still pending at the beginning of 1994.

Editor's Note: Complaints may be made to the office of the Chief Executive Officer of the Judiciary Commission of Louisiana, Hugh M. Collins, Ph.D., 301 Loyola Avenue, Room 109, New Orleans, Louisiana 70112-1887. Telephone: (504) 568-5747.

THE LOUISIANA COURTS OF APPEAL
Roster of Judges and Clerks

Chief Judge Morris A. Lottinger, Jr.

FIRST CIRCUIT (Baton Rouge)

Parishes: Ascension, Assumption, East Baton Rouge, East Feliciana, Iberville, Lafourche, Livingston, Pointe Coupee, St. Helena, St. Mary, St. Tammany, Tangipahoa, Terrebonne, Washington, West Baton Rouge, West Feliciana

Judges	Domicile	District
Morris A. Lottinger, Jr., Chief Judge	Houma	First
Wallace A. Edwards	Covington	Third
J. Louis Watkins, Jr.	Houma	First
Melvin A. Shortess	Baton Rouge	Second
Burrell J. Carter	Greensburg	Third
Hillary J. Crain	Bogalusa	Third
Daniel W. LeBlanc	Baton Rouge	Second
Frank Foil	Baton Rouge	Second
Douglas M. Gonzales	Baton Rouge	Second
Vanessa Guidry-Whipple	Bourg	First
Kenneth J. Fogg	Denham Springs	Third
Freddie Pitcher, Jr.	Baton Rouge	Second
Randolph H. Parro[1]	Thibodaux	First

Clerk: Stanley P. Lemoine

Chief Judge Charles A. Marvin

SECOND CIRCUIT (Shreveport)

Parishes: Bienville, Bossier, Caddo, Caldwell, Claiborne, DeSoto, East Carroll, Franklin, Jackson, Lincoln, Madison, Morehouse, Ouachita, Red River, Richland, Tensas, Union, Webster, West Carroll, Winn

Charles A. Marvin, Chief Judge	Minden	Second
Fred C. Sexton, Jr.	Shreveport	Third
William Norris, III	West Monroe	First
Charles R. Lindsay	Shreveport	At Large
Lemmie O. Hightower	Monroe	First
Jeffrey P. Victory	Shreveport	Third
Henry N. Brown, Jr.	Bossier City	Second
Carl E. Stewart	Shreveport	Third
Felicia Toney Williams	Shreveport	Third

Clerk/Court Administrator: Diana Pratt

1. Term of office began May 18, 1993.

THE LOUISIANA COURTS OF APPEAL
Roster of Judges and Clerks

Chief Judge Jerome E. Domengeaux

THIRD CIRCUIT (Lake Charles)

Parishes: Acadia, Allen, Avoyelles, Beauregard, Calcasieu, Cameron, Catahoula, Concordia, Evangeline, Grant, Iberia, Jefferson Davis, Lafayette, LaSalle, Natchitoches, Rapides, Sabine, St. Landry, St. Martin, Vermilion, Vernon

Judges	Domicile	District
Jerome E. Domengeaux, Chief Judge	Lafayette	At Large
Edmond L. Guidry, Jr.	St. Martinville	Third
Jimmy M. Stoker[1]	Alexandria	First
Ned Doucet, Jr.	Abbeville	Third
P. J. Laborde, Jr.	Marksville	At Large
Henry L. Yelverton	Lake Charles	Second
Jeannette Theriot Knoll	Marksville	First
Ulysses G. Thibodeaux	Lake Charles	Second
Sylvia R. Cooks	Lafayette	Third
John D. Saunders	Ville Platte	First
Billie Colombaro Woodard	Lake Charles	Second
Oswald A. Decuir	New Iberia	Third

Clerk: Kenneth J. deBlanc

Chief Judge Patrick M. Schott

FOURTH CIRCUIT (New Orleans)

Parishes: Orleans, Plaquemines, St. Bernard

Patrick M. Schott, Chief Judge	New Orleans	First
Denis A. Barry	New Orleans	First
Robert J. Klees	Meraux	Third
Charles R. Ward	New Orleans	First
William H. Byrnes, III	New Orleans	At Large
Philip C. Ciaccio	New Orleans	At Large
Robert L. Lobrano	Belle Chasse	Second
Joan Bernard Armstrong	New Orleans	First
Steven R. Plotkin	New Orleans	First
Charles R. Jones	New Orleans	First
Miriam G. Waltzer	New Orleans	First
Moon Landrieu	New Orleans	First

Clerk: Danielle Schott

Chief Judge Thomas J. Kliebert

FIFTH CIRCUIT (Gretna)

Parishes: Jefferson, St. Charles, St. James, St. John

Thomas J. Kliebert, Chief Judge	Paulina	Second
Fred S. Bowes	Gretna	First
H. Charles Gaudin	Metairie	First
Edward A. Dufresne, Jr.	Luling	Third
Charles Grisbaum, Jr.	Gretna	First
Thomas C. Wicker, Jr.	Metairie	First
Sol Gothard	Metairie	First
James L. Cannella	Metairie	First

Clerk: Peter J. Fitzgerald. Jr.

1. Retired December 31, 1993

DISTRICT COURTS OF LOUISIANA
Roster of Judges and Clerks

Judges	Parishes Within Districts	Parish Seats	Clerks of Court
FIRST DISTRICT			
Robert P. Waddell	Caddo	Shreveport	C. A. Warren
James E. Stewart			
Scott J. Crichton			
Leon L. Emanuel, III			
Frank H. Thaxton, III			
Gary A. Bowers			
Hilry Huckaby, III			
Eugene W. Bryson, Jr., Chief Judge			
Charles R. Scott			
Gayle K. Hamilton[1]			
	Court Administrator: Thomas N. Williams		
CADDO PARISH JUVENILE COURT			
Gorman E. Taylor, Chief Judge			E. E. Rushing
Andrew B. Gallagher			
SECOND DISTRICT			
Jenifer Ward Clason	Claiborne	Homer	B. A. Gladney
Leon H. Whitten	Jackson	Jonesboro	A. B. Walsworth
Robert Y. Butler, Chief Judge	Bienville	Arcadia	F. N. Joyner
THIRD DISTRICT			
James M. Dozier, Chief Judge	Union	Farmerville	J. A. Brantley
E. Joseph Bleich[2]	Lincoln	Ruston	S. Sanderson
FOURTH DISTRICT			
Robert W. Kostelka	Morehouse	Bastrop	L. R. Boyd
Charles E. Joiner	Ouachita	Monroe	W. J. Hodge
D. Milton Moore, III			
John R. Harrison			
John R. Joyce			
Michael S. Ingram, Chief Judge			
Carl V. Sharp			
Benjamin Jones			
James H. Boddie, Jr.			
	Court Administrator: Scott F. Kadar		
FIFTH DISTRICT			
Glen W. Strong	Franklin	Winnsboro	F. T. Elkin
Glynn D. Roberts, Chief Judge	Richland	Rayville	R. N. Haire
Chet D. Traylor	West Carroll	Oak Grove	M. N. Oldham
SIXTH DISTRICT			
Charles R. Brackin, Chief Judge	Madison	Tallulah	C. Caldwell
John D. Crigler[3]	East Caroll	Lake Providence	E. B. Brock
	Tensas	St. Joseph	J. A. Kitchen
	Court Administrator: Sandra Bishop		

1. Retired May 5, 1993.
2. Became Chief Judge October 1, 1993.
3. Term of Office began March 5, 1993.

DISTRICT COURTS OF LOUISIANA
Roster of Judges and Clerks

Judges	Parishes Within Districts	Parish Seats	Clerks of Court
SEVENTH DISTRICT			
Glenn B. Gremillion, Chief Judge	Catahoula	Harrisonburg	K. Johnson
Leo Boothe	Concordia	Vidalia	C. R. Webber, Jr.
EIGHTH DISTRICT			
Douglas H. Allen, Chief Judge	Winn	Winnfield	D. E. Kelley
NINTH DISTRICT			
Donald T. Johnson	Rapides	Alexandria	C. J. Ryland
William P. Polk			
F. Rae Swent[1]			
W. Ross Foote			
B. Dexter Ryland, Chief Judge			
George C. Metoyer, Jr.			
Alfred A. Mansour			
Lewis O. Lauve			
TENTH DISTRICT			
John B. Whitaker	Natchitoches	Natchitoches	L. Bernard
W. Peyton Cunningham, Jr., Chief Judge			
ELEVENTH DISTRICT			
Robert E. Burgess[2]	Sabine	Many	D. M. Knippers
Elizabeth A. Pickett, Chief Judge	DeSoto	Mansfield	W. A. Porter, Jr.
TWELFTH DISTRICT			
Michael J. Johnson	Avoyelles	Marksville	S. G. Couvillon
Harold J. Brouillette, Chief Judge			
THIRTEENTH DISTRICT			
Preston N. Aucoin, Chief Judge	Evangeline	Ville Platte	W. Lee
A. Gaynor Soileau			
FOURTEENTH DISTRICT			
Gregory D. Lyons	Calcasieu	Lake Charles	J. R. Andrus
William L. McLeod, Jr.			
Billy H. Ezell			
Fred R. Godwin			
A. J. Planchard, Chief Judge			
Wilford D. Carter			
Charley Quienalty			
Alcide J. Gray			
James C. McInnis			

Court Administrator: W. P. Hastings

1. Became Chief Judge January 8, 1994.
2. Became Chief Judge January 1, 1994.

DISTRICT COURTS OF LOUISIANA
Roster of Judges and Clerks

Judges	Parishes Within Districts	Parish Seats	Clerks of Court
FIFTEENTH DISTRICT			
G. Bradford Ware	Acadia	Crowley	J. A. Barousse
Jules D. Edwards, III	Lafayette	Lafayette	O.C. Guilliot
J. Byron Hebert	Vermilion	Abbeville	R. R. Gaspard
Edward D. Rubin			
Allen M. Babineaux			
Hugh E. Brunson			
Durwood W. Conque			
Ronald D. Cox, Chief Judge			
Thomas R. Duplantier			
Don Aaron, Jr.			
Patrick L. Michot			
Herman C. Clause, Commissioner			
SIXTEENTH DISTRICT			
C. Thomas Bienvenu, Jr.	Iberia	New Iberia	P. Saunier
Paul J. deMahy	St. Martin	St. Martinville	J. A. Theriot
Edward A. de la Houssaye, III	St. Mary	Franklin	C. G. Dressel
Robert M. Fleming, Chief Judge			
Anne Lennan Simon[1]			
Michael J. McNulty, Jr.			
Charles L. Porter[2]			
Carl J. Williams[3]			
SEVENTEENTH DISTRICT			
Sidney A. Ordoyne, Jr.[4]	Lafourche	Thibodaux	V. H. Rodrigue
Jerome J. Barbera, III			
John J. Erny, Jr.			
Randolph H. Parro, Chief Judge[5]			
A. Bruce Simpson[6]			
EIGHTEENTH DISTRICT			
James J. Best[7]	Iberville	Plaquemine	J. G. Dupont
Ian W. Claiborne	W. Baton Rouge	Port Allen	T. J. LeBlanc
Sharah H. Mulmore	Pointe Coupee	New Roads	I. G. Olinde
Jack T. Marionneaux, Chief Judge			
NINETEENTH DISTRICT			
Robert D. Downing	E. Baton Rouge	Baton Rouge	J. D. Welborn
Ralph E. Tyson[8]			
Bob H. Hester			
Janice G. Clark			
Linda L. Holliday			
Frank J. Saia, Chief Judge			
A. Foster Sanders, III			
J. Michael McDonald			
William H. "Bill" Brown			

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1. Became Chief Judge, June 22, 1993.
2. Term of office began November 9, 1993.
3. Term of office began November 21, 1993.
4. Became Chief Judge May 19, 1993.
5. Elected to Court of Appeal, First Circuit; effective May 18, 1993.
6. Term of office began January 1, 1994.
7. Term of office began April 19, 1993.
8. Term of office began March 1, 1993.

DISTRICT COURTS OF LOUISIANA
Roster of Judges and Clerks

Judges	Parishes Within Districts	Parish Seats	Clerks of Court
NINETEENTH DISTRICT (*continued*)			
Curtis A. Calloway	E. Baton Rouge	Baton Rouge	J.D. Welborn
Bonnie F. Jackson			
Michael R. Erwin			
Joseph F. Keogh			
Allen J. Bergeron, Jr., Commissioner			
Kay Bates, Commissioner			
	Court Administrator: R. Clifton Berry		
FAMILY COURT FOR THE PARISH OF EAST BATON ROUGE			
Jennifer Luse			
Luke A. Lavergne			
Anthony J. Graphia, Chief Judge			
Annette M. Lassalle			
	Court Administrator: Paul Kieffer		
JUVENILE COURT FOR THE PARISH OF EAST BATON ROUGE			
Kathleen Stewart Richey, Chief Judge			
	Court Administrator: Donna Carter		
TWENTIETH DISTRICT			
William F. Kline, Jr., Chief Judge	East Feliciana	Clinton	D. D. Hudnall
Wilson R. Ramshur	West Feliciana	St. Francisville	M. N. Marchive
TWENTY-FIRST DISTRICT			
Wayne Ray Chutz[1]	Livingston	Livingston	L. W. Patterson
Bruce C. Bennett	Tangipahoa	Amite	J. J. Dahmer
Robert H. Morrison, III, Chief Judge	St. Helena	Greensburg	H. C. Newell
James E. Kuhn			
Edward Brent Dufreche			
Jefferson D. Hughes, III			
	Court Administrator: Melissa Easley		
TWENTY-SECOND DISTRICT			
France W. Watts	St. Tammany	Covington	L. R. Rausch
Stephen A. Duczer	Washington	Franklinton	J. D. Crain
Brady M. Fitzsimmons			
John W. Greene, Chief Judge			
A. Clayton James			
Martin E. Coady			
Larry J. Green			
	Court Administrator: Robert G. Tyler, Jr.		
TWENTY-THIRD DISTRICT			
Glynn A. Long	Assumption	Napoleonville	L. E. Bergeron
John L. Peytavin[2]	Ascension	Donaldsonville	K. H. Bourque
Guy Holdridge	St. James	Convent	E. E. Kinler, Jr.
A. J. Kling, Jr., Chief Judge			
E. Alvin Turner, Jr.[3]			

1. Term of office began May 12, 1993.
2. Became Chief Judge January 1, 1994.
3. New judgeship; term of office began January 1, 1994.

DISTRICT COURTS OF LOUISIANA
Roster of Judges and Clerks

Judges	Parishes Within Districts	Parish Seats	Clerks of Court
TWENTY-FOURTH DISTRICT			
G. Thomas Porteous, Jr.	Jefferson	Gretna	J. A. Gegenheimer
Ernest V. Richards, IV, Chief Judge			
Alan J. Green			
Walter E. Kollin			
Clarence E. McManus			
Patrick J. McCabe[1]			
M. Joseph Tiemann			
Hubert A. Vondenstein[2]			
Vacancy			
Jo Ellen Grant			
Jacob L. Karno			
Martha E. Sassone			
Charles V. Cusimano, II			
Robert J. Burns			
Susan M. Chehardy			
Ronald P. Loumiet			
Melvin C. Zeno			
	Court Administrator: Sandra Joaen Smith		
JEFFERSON PARISH JUVENILE COURT			
Ann Murry Keller			
Thomas P. McGee, Chief Judge			
Nancy Amato Konrad			
	Court Administrator: James Boulware		
TWENTY-FIFTH DISTRICT			
Michael E. Kirby, Chief Judge	Plaquemines	Pointe-a-la-Hache	S. M. Hardin
William A. Roe[1]			
TWENTY-SIXTH DISTRICT			
Dewey E. Burchett, Jr.	Bossier	Benton	W. Mabry
Graydon K. Kitchens, Jr., Chief Judge	Webster	Minden	W. B. Brinkley
Cecil P. Campbell, II			
R. Harmon Drew, Jr.			
Bruce M. Bolin			
	Court Administrator: Richard Williams[3]		
TWENTY-SEVENTH DISTRICT			
H. Garland Pavy	St. Landry	Opelousas	C.J. Jagneaux
Joseph A. LaHaye, Chief Judge			
Alonzo Harris[4]			
Robert Brinkman			
TWENTY-EIGHTH DISTRICT			
Jimmie C. Peters, Chief Judge	LaSalle	Jena	S.H. Crooks
	Court Administrator: Bobby L. Wilson		
TWENTY-NINTH DISTRICT			
Ruche J. Marino, Chief Judge	St. Charles	Hahnville	C. J. Oubre, Jr.
Mary Ann Vial Lemmon[1]			
Joel T. Chaisson			

1. Became Chief Judge January 1, 1994.
2. Died June 6, 1993.
3. Became Court Administrator December 1, 1993.
4. Term of office began May 28, 1993.

DISTRICT COURTS OF LOUISIANA
Roster of Judges and Clerks

Judges	Parishes Within Districts	Parish Seats	Clerks of Court
THIRTIETH DISTRICT			
Roy B. Tuck, Jr.[1]	Vernon	Leesville	D. M. Perkins
Ted R. Broyles, Chief Judge			
THIRTY-FIRST DISTRICT			
William N. Knight, Chief Judge	Jefferson Davis	Jennings	C. L. Duhon
THIRTY-SECOND DISTRICT			
Edward J. "Jimmy" Gaidry	Terrebonne	Houma	I. R. Boudreaux
Baron B. Bourg			
Timothy C. Ellender			
John T. Pettigrew			
Paul R. Wimbish, Chief Judge			
	Court Administrator: Walton Dill		
THIRTY-THIRD DISTRICT			
John P. Navarre, Chief Judge	Allen	Oberlin	R. L. Thomas
THIRTY-FOURTH DISTRICT			
Thomas M. McBride, III[2]	St. Bernard	Chalmette	L. R. Torres
Robert A. Buckley[3]			
David S. Gorbaty			
Melvyn J. Perez			
Kirk A. Vaughn, Chief Judge			
THIRTY-FIFTH DISTRICT			
B. G. "Billy" Lutes, Chief Judge	Grant	Colfax	J. E. Lemoine
	Court Administrator: James P. Lemoine		
THIRTY-SIXTH DISTRICT			
Stuart S. Kay, Jr., Chief Judge	Beauregard	DeRidder	R. L. Nichols
THIRTY-SEVENTH DISTRICT			
Ronald L. Lewellyan, Chief Judge	Caldwell	Columbia	E. Dunn
	Court Administrator: Shannon Scruggs		
THIRTY-EIGHTH DISTRICT			
H. Ward Fontenot, Chief Judge	Cameron	Cameron	D. B. Theriot
THIRTY-NINTH DISTRICT			
Richard N. Ware, Chief Judge	Red River	Coushatta	E. V. Womack
FORTIETH DISTRICT			
Madeline Jasmine	St. John the Baptist	Edgard	H. L. Montegut, Jr.
Mary Hotard Becnel[4]			
Thomas F. Daley, Chief Judge			

1. Became Chief Judge January 1, 1994.
2. Retired July 19, 1993; died September 21, 1993.
3. Term of office began November 23, 1993.
4. Term of office began June 1, 1993.

DISTRICT COURTS OF LOUISIANA

Roster of Judges and Clerks

Judges		Clerks of Court
ORLEANS PARISH CIVIL DISTRICT COURT	Division	D. N. Atkins
Thomas A. Early, Jr.[1]	A	
Vacancy	A	
Robert A. Katz	B	
Richard J. Garvey	C	
Louis A. DiRosa, Chief Judge	D	
Gerald P. Fedoroff	E	
Yada T. Magee	F	
Robin Giarrusso	G	
Michael G. Bagneris[2]	H	
Bernette Joshua Johnson[3]	I	
George C. Connolly, Jr.	J	
Richard J. Ganucheau	K	
Max N. Tobias, Jr.	L	
Ronald J. Sholes	M	
Okla Jones, II	N	
ORLEANS PARISH CRIMINAL DISTRICT COURT	Section	E. A. Lombard
Morris W. Reed	A	
Patrick G. Quinlan	B	
Jerome M. Winsberg, Chief Judge	C	
Frank A. Marullo, Jr.	D	
Calvin Johnson	E	
Dennis J. Waldron	F	
Frank J. Shea	G	
James F. McKay, III	H	
Shirley G. Wimberly, Jr.[4]	I	
Raymond C. Bigelow[5]	I	
Leon A. Cannizzaro, Jr.	J	
Gerard J. Hansen	Magistrate-Judge	
Arthur L. Harris, Sr.	Commissioner	
Anthony J. Russo	Commissioner	
Joseph I. Giarrusso, Jr.	Commissioner	
Andrew J. Sciambra	Commissioner	
Court Administrator: Darryl M. Schultz		
ORLEANS PARISH JUVENILE COURT	Section	T. A. Duroncelet
Ernestine S. Gray, Administrative Judge	A	
C. Hearn Taylor	B	
Salvadore T. Mulé	C	
Lawrence L. Lagarde, Jr.	D	
Anita H. Ganucheau	E	
George G. Kiefer	F	
Court Administrator: Mary Jordan		

1. Retired September 1, 1993.
2. Term of office began October 25, 1993.
3. Became Chief Judge January 1, 1994.
4. Retired March 31, 1993.
5. Term of office began December 1, 1993.

CITY AND PARISH COURTS OF LOUISIANA

Roster of Judges and Location of Courts

Cities		Parishes	Judges
Abbeville		Vermilion	Roger C. Sellers
Alexandria		Rapides	Edward E. Roberts, Jr.
Ascension Parish		Ascension	Pegram J. Mire, Jr.
Baker		East Baton Rouge	John E. Engelsman
Bastrop		Morehouse	Merwin M. Brandon, Jr.
Baton Rouge:	Division A	East Baton Rouge	Byron Stringer
	Division B		Ralph E. Tyson[1] Donald R. Johnson[2]
	Division C		Darrell D. White
	Division D		Rosemary T. Pillow, Admin. Judge
	Division E		Suzan S. Ponder[3]
		Baton Rouge Clerk/Court Administrator: Milton R. Skyring	
Bogalusa		Washington	Donald M. Fendlason
Bossier City		Bossier	Billy Ross Robinson
		Bossier City Clerk/Court Administrator: Elizabeth Edmonds	
Breaux Bridge		St. Martin	Randy P. Angelle
Bunkie		Avoyelles	James H. Mixon
Crowley		Acadia	T. Barrett Harrington
Denham Springs		Livingston	Charles W. Borde, Jr.
DeRidder		Beauregard	James K. Nichols
Eunice		St. Landry	Lynette Young Feucht
		Eunice Clerk/Court Administrator: Angelia Bellard	
Franklin		St. Mary	Charles R. Prevost
Hammond		Tangipahoa	John D. Kopfler
		Hammond Clerk/Court Administrator: Walter R. Parker	
Houma		Terrebonne	Jude T. Fanguy
Jeanerette		Iberia	Cameron B . Simmons
Jefferson Parish:		Jefferson	
1st Parish Court	Division A		J. Bruce Naccari, Senior Judge
	Division B		George W. Giacobbe
		First Parish Court Administrator: Beatrice D. Tranchina	
2nd Parish Court	Division A	Jefferson	John J. Molaison, Senior Judge
	Division B		Calvin J. Hotard, Jr.
		Second Parish Court Administrator: Rodney M. de la Gardelle	
Jennings		Jefferson Davis	Bernard N. Marcantel[4] Wendell R. Miller[5]

1. Elected to Nineteenth Judicial District Court; effective March 1, 1993.
2. Term of office began November 19, 1993.
3. Term of office began May 8, 1993.
4. Retired July 14, 1993.
5. Term of office began November 29, 1993.

CITY AND PARISH COURTS OF LOUISIANA
Roster of Judges and Location of Courts

Cities		Parishes	Judges
Kaplan		Vermilion	Reule P. Bourque
Lafayette		Lafayette	Kaliste J. Saloom, Jr., Senior Judge[1] Vacancy Michael G. Sullivan[2]
		Lafayette Court Administrator: Fay Markham	
Lake Charles	Division A Division B	Calcasieu	Thomas P. Quirk, Senior Judge John S. Hood
Leesville		Vernon	S. Chris Smith, III
		Leesville Clerk/Court Administrator: Glenda F. Dowden	
Marksville		Avoyelles	Angelo J. Piazza, III
Minden		Webster	John C. Campbell
		Minden Clerk/Court Administrator: Joan W. Burns	
Monroe		Ouachita	Larry D. Jefferson John Larry Lolley, Senior Judge D. C. Bernhardt[3] Vacancy
		Monroe Clerk/Court Administrator: Patricia Blunt-Brooks	
Morgan City		St. Mary	Robert S. Robertson
Natchitoches		Natchitoches	Fred S. Gahagan
New Iberia		Iberia	Robert L. Segura
New Orleans		Orleans	
1st City Court	Section A Section B Section C		Charles A. Imbornone Dominic C. Grieshaber, Senior Judge Niles A. Hellmers
2nd City Court		Lorain F. Wingerter[4]	Vacancy
Municipal Court	Section A Section B Section C Section D		Eddie L . Sapir Bruce J. McConduit John A. Shea James E. Glancey, Sr., Senior Judge
Traffic Court	Section A Section B Section C Section D		Dennis J. Dannel Thomas L. Giraud Terry Q. Alarcon Oliver S. Delery, Senior Judge
		Traffic Court Administrator: Mary Rome	
Oakdale		Allen	Perrell Fuselier
Opelousas		St. Landry	Kenneth Boagni, Jr.
		Opelousas Clerk/Court Administrator: Ronnie Leger	
Pineville		Rapides	Henry H. Lemoine, Jr.
Plaquemine		Iberville	Robert L. Freeman
		Plaquemine Clerk/Court Administrator: Deanie C. Granada	
Port Allen		West Baton Rouge	William T. Kleinpeter

1. Retired August 3, 1993.
2. Became Senior Judge August 4, 1993.
3. Retired January 2, 1994.
4. Retired July 30, 1993.

CITY AND PARISH COURTS OF LOUISIANA

Roster of Judges and Location of Courts

Cities		Parishes	Judges
Rayne		Acadia	Denald A. Beslin
Ruston		Lincoln	Robert G. James
		Ruston Clerk/Court Administrator: Jennifer Floyd	
Shreveport	Division A	Caddo	R. Lee Irvin
	Division B		Charles W. Kelly, IV
	Division C		Gay Caldwell Gaskins
		Shreveport Clerk/Court Administrator: Virginia Hester	
Slidell		St. Tammany	James R. Strain, Jr.
Springhill		Webster	John M. Robinson
Sulphur		Calcasieu	J. Steven Broussard
Thibodaux		Lafourche	David M. Richard
Vidalia		Concordia	George C . Murray, Jr.
Ville Platte		Evangeline	Donald J. Launey, Jr.
West Monroe		Ouachita	Charles A. Traylor, II
Winnfield		Winn	Jim W. Wiley
Winnsboro		Franklin	E. Rudolph McIntyre, Jr.
Zachary		East Baton Rouge	Russell Bankston

STATISTICAL APPENDIX

INTRODUCTION TO THE STATISTICAL SECTION

The statistical information in this section was compiled from data submitted to the Judicial Administrator's Office by the various courts of Louisiana during the calendar year 1993.

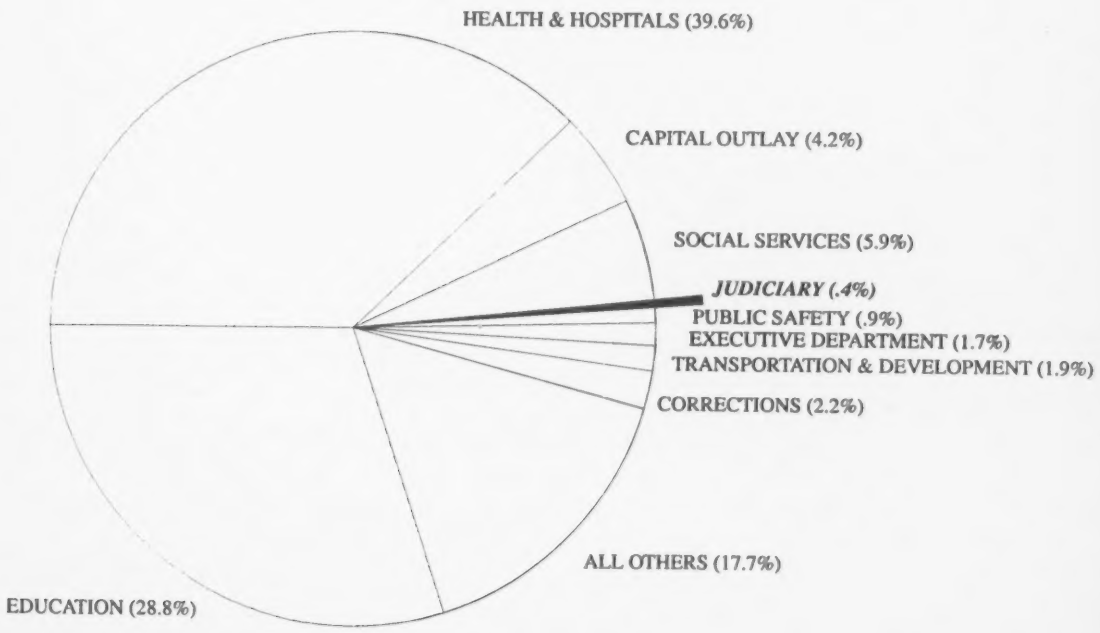
In 1993, there were 3,196 filings in the Supreme Court. The filings in 1993 were 4.3% lower than in 1992.

In 1993, there were 8,780 filings in the Louisiana courts of appeal. This represents an increase of approximately 63.3% over the filings 10 years earlier. The 1993 filings were 1.7% lower than those in 1992. The average time interval from the filing of a civil appeal to its disposition was 355 days in the First Circuit, 257 days in the Second Circuit, 301 days in the Third Circuit, 280 days in the Fourth Circuit, and 176 days in the Fifth Circuit. The average time interval from the filing of a criminal appeal to its disposition was 334 days in the First Circuit, 211 days in the Second Circuit, 217 days in the Third Circuit, 351 days in the Fourth Circuit, and 159 days in the Fifth Circuit.

During 1993, there were 159,364 civil filings in the district courts, a decrease of .2% when compared to 1992. During 1993, there were 381,310 criminal and traffic filings in the district courts, an increase of 10.2% over 1992. Civil jury trials decreased by .2% when compared with 1992 and criminal jury trials increased by 6.0% when compared with 1992.

Filings in Louisiana city and parish courts increased by 2.4% from 770,249 filings in 1992 to 789,042 filings in 1993.

LOUISIANA STATE BUDGET
1993-1994 FISCAL YEAR



SUPREME COURT OF LOUISIANA
THREE YEAR TREND IN ACTIVITY

	1991 Total	1992 Total	1993 Total	1993 Civil	1993 Criminal
APPEALS:					
Filed	18	26	30	16	14
Dismissed	0	1	0	0	0
Opinions Rendered					
with written opinions	12	14	19	12	7
per curiams	0	3	2	0	2
WRITS:					
Applications Filed (Except Prisoner Pro Se)	1,621	1,717	2,019	1,477	542
Prisoner Pro Se Writs	1,118	1,351	922	39	883
Granted	847	671	597	245	352
to be argued	90	111	112	89	23
with orders	757	560	485	156	329
Dismissed	27	26	34	17	17
Not Considered	32	34	39	33	6
Denied	1,972	2,127	2,085	1,101	984
Opinions Rendered	91	74	99	80	19
REHEARINGS:					
Applied for	71	80	103	81	22
Granted	9	9	14	11	3
Denied/Dismissed	52	67	87	65	22
Opinions Rendered	3	7	5	3	2
ORIGINAL JURISDICTION:					
Petitions Filed	88	131	145	145	0
Opinions Rendered	21	33	34	34	0
Other Actions	65	104	123	123	0
OTHER MATTERS:					
Filed	159	113	80	3	77
Opinions Rendered	0	0	0	0	0
Other Actions	147	121	82	5	77
OTHER PER CURIAM OPINIONS RENDERED	46	47	60	31	29
TOTAL FILINGS:	3,004	3,338	3,196	1,680	1,516
Per Justice	429	477	400	210	190
TOTAL OPINIONS RENDERED	173	178	219	160	59

LOUISIANA COURTS OF APPEAL
THREE-YEAR TREND IN ACTIVITY

	1991 Total	1992 Total	1993 Total	1993 Civil	1993 Criminal
FIRST CIRCUIT					
Appeals Filed	1,105	1,129	1,083	806	277
Motions Filed	32	33	33	28	5
Writs Filed (except Pro Se)	559	534	588	409	179
Writs Refused	398	420	421	285	136
Writs Granted	141	116	159	115	44
Pro Se Writs Filed	659	711	703	141	562
Pro Se Writs Refused	492	564	601	135	466
Pro Se Writs Granted	122	122	97	5	92
Appeals Dismissed/Consolidated/Transferred	173	291	219	191	28
Opinions Rendered	940	953	942	722	220
Rehearings Acted Upon	120	194	191	169	22
Appeals Pending	1,021	955	933	713	220
Argued But Not Decided	19	16	34	34	0
To Be Argued	1,002	939	899	679	220
SECOND CIRCUIT					
Appeals Filed	527	499	535	355	180
Motions Filed	7	13	5	3	2
Writs Filed (except Pro Se)	235	243	279	180	99
Writs Refused	151	178	204	124	80
Writs Granted	80	68	85	59	26
Pro Se Writs Filed	368	321	324	0	324
Pro Se Writs Refused	261	281	278	0	278
Pro Se Writs Granted	80	50	66	0	66
Appeals Dismissed/Consolidated/Transferred	54	70	67	56	11
Opinions Rendered	537	462	448	273	175
Rehearings Acted Upon	83	63	94	63	31
Appeals Pending	335	322	361	255	106
Argued But Not Decided	45	55	53	34	19
To Be Argued	290	267	308	221	87
THIRD CIRCUIT					
Appeals Filed	787	876	990	804	186
Motions Filed	13	6	22	16	6
Writs Filed (except Pro Se)	409	382	382	236	146
Writs Refused	249	243	233	132	101
Writs Granted	106	125	131	85	46
Pro Se Writs Filed	227	260	284	32	252
Pro Se Writs Refused	96	149	164	7	157
Pro Se Writs Granted	79	86	112	13	99
Appeals Dismissed/Consolidated/Transferred	97	159	181	172	9
Opinions Rendered	637	942	929	731	198
Rehearings Acted Upon	68	102	116	114	2
Appeals Pending	1,040	812	713	592	121
Argued But Not Decided	18	15	27	27	0
To Be Argued	1,022	797	686	565	121

LOUISIANA COURTS OF APPEAL
THREE-YEAR TREND IN ACTIVITY

	1991 Total	1992 Total	1993 Total	1993 Civil	1993 Criminal
FOURTH CIRCUIT					
Appeals Filed	934	991	894	605	289
Motions Filed	14	14	18	17	1
Writs Filed (except Pro Se)	585	618	606	388	218
Writs Refused	350	419	321	216	105
Writs Granted	226	206	285	172	113
Pro Se Writs Filed	1,264	1,253	1,050	19	1,031
Pro Se Writs Refused	552	707	589	17	572
Pro Se Writs Granted	650	595	457	5	452
Appeals Dismissed/Consolidated/Transferred	79	214	190	176	14
Opinions Rendered	720	900	983	631	352
Rehearings Acted Upon	102	150	136	123	13
Appeals Pending	999	948	763	491	272
Argued But Not Decided	129	88	88	70	18
To Be Argued	870	860	675	421	254
FIFTH CIRCUIT					
Appeals Filed	429	513	505	372	133
Motions Filed	23	20	13	10	3
Writs Filed (except Pro Se)	247	327	316	212	104
Writs Refused	180	232	206	146	60
Writs Granted	67	81	88	59	29
Pro Se Writs Filed	288	272	241	6	235
Pro Se Writs Refused	96	137	99	5	94
Pro Se Writs Granted	103	86	63	1	62
Appeals Dismissed/Consolidated/Transferred	55	127	94	75	19
Opinions Rendered	354	376	398	292	106
Rehearings Acted Upon	58	75	70	59	11
Appeals Pending	190	216	243	183	60
Argued But Not Decided	36	44	53	40	13
To Be Argued	154	172	190	143	47
TOTAL FOR ALL CIRCUITS					
Appeals Filed	3,782	4,008	4,007	2,942	1,065
Motions Filed	89	86	91	74	17
Writs Filed (except Pro Se)	2,035	2,104	2,171	1,425	746
Writs Refused	1,328	1,492	1,385	903	482
Writs Granted	620	596	748	490	258
Pro Se Writs Filed	2,806	2,817	2,602	198	2,404
Pro Se Writs Refused	1,497	1,838	1,731	164	1,567
Pro Se Writs Granted	1,034	939	795	24	771
Appeals Dismissed/Consolidated/Transferred	458	861	751	670	81
Opinions Rendered	3,188	3,633	3,700	2,649	1,051
Rehearings Acted Upon	431	584	607	528	79
Appeals Pending	3,585	3,253	3,013	2,234	779
Argued But Not Decided	247	218	255	205	50
To Be Argued	3,338	3,035	2,758	2,029	729

FILINGS PER COURT OF APPEAL JUDGE

	APPEALS	WRITS
1989	74.3 (53.9 civil, 20.3 criminal)	85.4 (28.7 civil, 56.7 criminal)
1990	79.9 (56.2 civil, 23.7 criminal)	82.9 (29.9 civil, 53.0 criminal)
1991	77.3 (56.4 civil, 20.9 criminal)	99.0 (30.8 civil, 68.2 criminal)
1992	77.5 (57.5 civil, 19.9 criminal)	95.1 (31.4 civil, 63.7 criminal)
1993	74.2 (54.5 civil, 19.7 criminal)	88.4 (30.1 civil, 58.3 criminal)

1993 FILINGS PER JUDGE BY CIRCUIT

	APPEALS	WRITS
FIRST	83.3	99.3
SECOND	59.4	67.0
THIRD	82.5	55.5
FOURTH	74.5	138.0
FIFTH	63.1	69.6
AVERAGE ALL JUDGES	74.2	88.4

OPINIONS BY THE COURTS OF APPEAL

	CIVIL	CRIMINAL	TOTAL
1989	2,111	999	3,110
1990	2,082	959	3,041
1991	2,229	959	3,188
1992	2,511	1,122	3,633
1993	2,649	1,051	3,700

OPINIONS RENDERED PER COURT OF APPEAL JUDGE BY CIRCUIT

	1989	1990	1991	1992	1993
First Circuit					
Civil	56.8	50.8	63.0	57.9	55.5
Criminal	14.5	18.3	15.3	21.5	16.9
Totals	71.3	69.1	78.3	79.4	72.5
Second Circuit					
Civil	36.1	38.9	40.4	35.5	30.3
Criminal	36.3	31.7	27.6	22.3	19.4
Totals	72.4	70.6	68.0	57.8	49.8
Third Circuit					
Civil	49.8	51.7	50.8	63.7	60.9
Criminal	18.0	17.3	20.0	16.4	16.5
Totals	67.8	69.0	70.8	80.2	77.4
Fourth Circuit					
Civil	34.3	39.3	34.9	42.3	52.6
Criminal	26.6	21.8	25.1	32.7	29.3
Totals	60.9	61.2	60.0	75.0	81.9
Fifth Circuit					
Civil	39.5	32.9	34.8	34.4	36.5
Criminal	11.3	12.4	9.5	12.6	13.3
Totals	50.8	45.3	44.3	47.0	49.8
All Circuits					
Civil	44.0	43.4	45.6	48.5	49.1
Criminal	20.8	20.0	19.6	21.7	19.5
Totals	64.8	63.4	65.2	70.2	68.5

APPEALS PENDING

		FIRST	SECOND	THIRD	FOURTH	FIFTH	TOTAL ALL CIRCUITS
1989	Civil	786	224	758	475	122	2365
	Criminal	151	138	117	321	40	767
	Totals	937	362	875	796	162	3132
1990	Civil	844	258	856	485	148	2591
	Criminal	203	154	147	374	32	910
	Totals	1047	412	1003	859	180	3501
1991	Civil	778	215	892	619	150	2654
	Criminal	243	120	148	380	40	931
	Totals	1021	335	1040	999	190	3585
1992	Civil	776	212	673	633	167	2461
	Criminal	179	110	139	315	49	792
	Totals	955	322	812	948	216	3253
1993	Civil	713	255	592	491	183	2234
	Criminal	220	106	121	272	60	779
	Totals	933	361	713	763	243	3013

APPEALS PENDING THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 1993
ELAPSED TIME SINCE FILING

	UNDER 6 MONTHS	OVER 6 BUT UNDER 9 MONTHS	OVER 9 BUT UNDER 12 MONTHS	OVER 12 BUT UNDER 15 MONTHS	OVER 15 BUT UNDER 18 MONTHS	OVER 18 MONTHS
First Circuit						
Civil	372	179	76	19	14	153
Criminal	139	67	6	1	0	7
Second Circuit						
Civil	185	57	1	1	4	7
Criminal	92	13	0	1	0	0
Third Circuit						
Civil	381	148	20	8	8	27
Criminal	85	25	0	0	1	10
Fourth Circuit						
Civil	258	78	44	12	7	92
Criminal	129	33	36	24	20	30
Fifth Circuit						
Civil	151	18	7	2	2	3
Criminal	51	4	3	0	1	1

TIME FROM FILING TO DISPOSITION ON AN APPEAL

	AVERAGE FOR 1989 DISPOSITION	ESTIMATE FOR APPEALS FILED DURING DECEMBER 1993
First Circuit		
Civil	13.0 Months	11.0 Months
Criminal	10.0 Months	8.0 Months
Second Circuit		
Civil	8.3 Months	7.5 Months
Criminal	7.1 Months	6.0 Months
Third Circuit		
Civil	15.4 Months	6.0 Months
Criminal	9.5 Months	4.0 Months
Fourth Circuit		
Civil	8.5 Months	9.0 Months
Criminal	13.6 Months	9.0 Months
Fifth Circuit		
Civil	5.6 Months	6.0 Months
Criminal	5.7 Months	6.0 Months

LOUISIANA DISTRICT COURTS
THREE-YEAR TREND IN ACTIVITY

JURY TRIALS
1993

District	Parish	Cases Filed 1991 Total	Cases Filed 1992 Total	1993 Juvenile	1993 Civil	1993*** Criminal	1993 Traffic	1993 Total	Civil	Criminal
1	Caddo*	17,400	19,153		8,711	4,378	5,071	18,160		
	District Totals	**17,400**	**19,153**		**8,711**	**4,378**	**5,071**	**18,160**	**22**	**43**
2	Bienville	4,377	6,852	225	684	691	4,829	6,429		
	Claiborne	2,335	2,552	212	462	626	1,267	2,567		
	Jackson	1,979	1,998	221	621	639	423	1,904		
	District Totals	**8,691**	**11,402**	**658**	**1,767**	**1,956**	**6,519**	**10,900**	**0**	**18**
3	Lincoln	4,133	6,085	326	923	1,237	3,147	5,633		
	Union	3,231	3,249	308	714	814	1,184	3,020		
	District Totals	**7,364**	**9,334**	**634**	**1,637**	**2,051**	**4,331**	**8,653**	**1**	**8**
4	Morehouse	4,758	4,969	523	938	1,432	2,634	5,527		
	Ouachita	19,461	18,601	1,754	4,632	4,340	10,293	21,019		
	District Totals	**24,219**	**23,570**	**2,277**	**5,570**	**5,772**	**12,927**	**26,546**	**21**	**31**
5	Franklin	2,182	2,354	356	811	682	963	2,812		
	Richland	4,022	4,396	283	667	854	2,480	4,284		
	West Carroll	1,100	1,161	159	306	239	577	1,281		
	District Totals	**7,304**	**7,911**	**798**	**1,784**	**1,775**	**4,020**	**8,377**	**1**	**5**
6	East Carroll	2,559	2,600	231	264	345	2,208	3,048		
	Madison	3,949	3,978	300	393	701	2,046	3,440		
	Tensas	2,557	2,732	113	186	1,599	7,252	10,338		
	District Totals	**9,065**	**9,310**	**644**	**843**	**3,625**	**5,206**	**10,318**	**2**	**7**
7	Catahoula**	2,794	2,856	23	395	2,885		3,303		
	Concordia	5,015	2,355	3	633	1,349	1,342	3,327		
	District Totals	**7,809**	**5,211**	**26**	**1,028**	**4,234**	**1,342**	**6,630**	**6**	**14**
8	Winn	4,544	3,751	13	747	363	3,018	4,141		
	District Totals	**4,544**	**3,751**	**13**	**747**	**363**	**3,018**	**4,141**	**1**	**6**
9	Rapides	21,278	17,653	389	4,678	2,366	11,693	19,126		
	District Totals	**21,278**	**17,653**	**389**	**4,678**	**2,366**	**11,693**	**19,126**	**26**	**33**
10	Natchitoches**	9,062	10,136	117	1,220	9,102		10,439		
	District Totals	**9,062**	**10,136**	**117**	**1,220**	**9,102**		**10,439**	**10**	**6**
11	DeSoto**	6,548	4,838	376	882	4,745		6,003		
	Sabine	4,396	4,469	383	865	868	2,159	4,275		
	District Totals	**10,944**	**9,307**	**759**	**1,747**	**5,613**	**2,159**	**10,278**	**4**	**25**
12	Avoyelles	6,207	4,897	248	1,697	1,168	1,963	5,076		
	District Totals	**6,207**	**4,897**	**248**	**1,697**	**1,168**	**1,963**	**5,076**	**4**	**13**
13	Evangeline**	3,421	3,152	322	1,391	1,961		3,674		
	District Totals	**3,421**	**3,152**	**322**	**1,391**	**1,961**		**3,674**	**4**	**12**
14	Calcasieu	19,299	19,680	1,391	6,504	3,421	7,574	18,890		
	District Totals	**19,299**	**19,680**	**1,391**	**6,504**	**3,421**	**7,574**	**18,890**	**40**	**43**
15	Acadia	6,590	8,484	468	1,626	1,558	4,478	8,130		
	Lafayette	16,096	16,779	1,939	6,500	3,119	7,298	18,856		
	Vermilion	4,362	4,375	475	1,537	925	1,582	4,519		
	District Totals	**27,048**	**29,638**	**2,882**	**9,663**	**5,602**	**13,358**	**31,505**	**76**	**35**
16	Iberia	9,064	11,789	857	2,480	1,538	6,892	11,767		
	St. Martin	10,197	11,035	475	1,442	1,195	11,910	15,022		
	St. Mary	8,911	8,719	312	2,273	2,502	3,625	8,712		
	District Totals	**28,172**	**31,543**	**1,644**	**6,195**	**5,235**	**22,427**	**35,501**	**76**	**32**
17	Lafourche	15,839	13,345	1,004	2,529	3,080	8,368	14,981		
	District Totals	**15,839**	**13,345**	**1,004**	**2,529**	**3,080**	**8,368**	**14,981**	**11**	**16**
18	Iberville**	4,852	3,886	103	1,653	3,291		5,047		
	Pointe Coupee	3,850	4,259	62	948	1,535	1,130	3,675		
	W. Baton Rouge**	6,357	4,827	107	922	3,989		5,018		
	District Totals	**15,059**	**12,972**	**272**	**3,523**	**8,815**	**1,130**	**13,740**	**11**	**8**
19	E. Baton Rouge*	37,293	36,885		15,110	8,001	11,228	34,339		
	District Totals	**37,293**	**36,885**		**15,110**	**8,001**	**11,228**	**34,339**	**85**	**146**

LOUISIANA DISTRICT COURTS
THREE YEAR TREND IN ACTIVITY

JURY TRIALS 1993

District	Parish	Cases Filed 1991 Total	Cases Filed 1992 Total	1993 Juvenile	1993 Civil	1993*** Criminal	1993 Traffic	1993 Total	Civil	Criminal
20	East Feliciana	4,022	3,928	76	860	1,236	1,506	3,678		
	West Feliciana**	2,168	1,686	30	441	1,350		1,821		
	District Totals	**6,190**	**5,614**	**106**	**1,301**	**2,586**	**1,506**	**5,499**	**0**	**9**
21	Livingston	8,275	5,812	531	2,511	1,526	1,567	6,135		
	St. Helena	1,373	931	33	393	217	553	1,196		
	Tangipahoa	14,648	12,684	320	4,121	3,659	6,046	14,146		
	District Totals	**24,296**	**19,427**	**884**	**7,025**	**5,402**	**8,166**	**21,477**	**32**	**26**
22	St. Tammany	22,755	22,498	1,132	5,651	4,113	14,690	25,586		
	Washington	5,473	5,328	728	1,666	1,712	1,738	5,844		
	District Totals	**28,228**	**27,826**	**1,860**	**7,317**	**5,825**	**16,428**	**31,430**	**16**	**42**
23	Ascension*	3,133	3,761	263	2,350	837		3,450		
	Assumption	4,198	3,270	66	706	519	3,217	4,508		
	St. James**	4,125	4,285	86	841	3,299		4,226		
	District Totals	**11,456**	**11,316**	**415**	**3,897**	**4,655**	**3,217**	**12,184**	**17**	**45**
24	Jefferson*	23,023	23,147		14,979	6,777		21,756		
	District Totals	**23,023**	**23,147**		**14,979**	**6,777**		**21,756**	**70**	**85**
25	Plaquemines**	4,934	5,345	323	1,122	5,432		6,877		
	District Totals	**4,934**	**5,345**	**323**	**1,122**	**5,432**		**6,877**	**7**	**17**
26	Bossier	9,343	9,185	786	2,623	1,322	7245	11,976		
	Webster	4,769	4,639	442	1,239	750	2,414	4,845		
	District Totals	**14,112**	**13,824**	**1,228**	**3,862**	**2,072**	**9,659**	**16,821**	**7**	**27**
27	St. Landry	10,746	11,022	1,261	2,858	1,539	12,969	18,627		
	District Totals	**10,746**	**11,022**	**1,261**	**2,858**	**1,539**	**12,969**	**18,627**	**32**	**83**
28	LaSalle	2,435	2,418	143	803	677	1,839	3,462		
	District Totals	**2,435**	**2,418**	**143**	**803**	**677**	**1,839**	**3,462**	**2**	**5**
29	St. Charles	18,496	17,626	482	1,856	2,108	18,501	22,947		
	District Totals	**18,496**	**17,626**	**482**	**1,856**	**2,108**	**18,501**	**22,947**	**8**	**15**
30	Vernon	14,553	14,722	540	1,545	1,137	14,021	17,243		
	District Totals	**14,553**	**14,722**	**540**	**1,545**	**1,137**	**14,021**	**17,243**	**0**	**9**
31	Jefferson Davis	7,491	9,180	227	1,092	590	6,650	8,559		
	District Totals	**7,491**	**9,180**	**227**	**1,092**	**590**	**6,650**	**8,559**	**1**	**6**
32	Terrebonne**	18,002	16,751	769	3,381	11,553		15,703		
	District Totals	**18,002**	**16,751**	**769**	**3,381**	**11,553**		**15,703**	**31**	**35**
33	Allen	3,578	3,383	254	912	862	2,729	4,757		
	District Totals	**3,578**	**3,383**	**254**	**912**	**862**	**2,729**	**4,757**	**3**	**2**
34	St. Bernard**	10,999	10,394	881	2,645	7,389		10,915		
	District Totals	**10,999**	**10,394**	**881**	**2,645**	**7,389**		**10,915**	**22**	**5**
35	Grant	3,839	3,903	207	544	260	3,168	4,179		
	District Totals	**3,839**	**3,903**	**207**	**544**	**260**	**3,168**	**4,179**	**1**	**4**
36	Beauregard	3,935	4,081	211	949	457	3,225	4,842		
	District Totals	**3,935**	**4,081**	**211**	**949**	**457**	**3,225**	**4,842**	**4**	**5**
37	Caldwell**	1,646	2,383	85	427	2,406		2,918		
	District Totals	**1,646**	**2,383**	**85**	**427**	**2,406**		**2,918**	**1**	**0**
38	Cameron**	3,095	3,080	26	409	2,825		3,260		
	District Totals	**3,095**	**3,080**	**26**	**409**	**2,825**		**3,260**	**4**	**1**
39	Red River**	2,163	2,019	111	376	1,893		2,380		
	District Totals	**2,163**	**2,019**	**111**	**376**	**1,893**		**2,380**	**1**	**4**
40	St. John	17,799	14,680	1,307	1,574	1,855	13,359	18,095		
	District Totals	**17,799**	**14,680**	**1,307**	**1,574**	**1,855**	**13,359**	**18,095**	**6**	**7**
	Orleans Civil*	23,874	22,156		24,146			24,146	145	
	Orleans Criminal*	6,767	6,907			6,721		6,721		445
	District Totals	**30,641**	**29,063**		**24,146**	**6,721**		**30,867**	**145**	**445**
	Statewide Totals	**541,675**	**530,054**	**25,398**	**159,364**	**151,513**	**239,877**	**576,152**	**811**	**1,388**

* Violations of traffic, misdemeanors, and juvenile laws are processed by parish, city or juvenile/family courts.
** These courts were unable to separate traffic from criminal filings.
*** DWI is included in the criminal totals beginning in 1990.

JUVENILE 1993 DELINQUENCY REPORT

Felony and Misdemeanor Charges and Status

Parish	Filed	Detention Hearings	Pre-trial Motions	Pleas Not Guilty	Pleas Guilty	Adjudications (Trials)	Disposition DOC*	Disposition Other	Disp. Reviews	Petitions Disclosure	Misc. Actions
Caddo Juvenile	1,143	411	34	338	619	435	176	438	977		
E. B. R. Juvenile	1,884	432	890	959	318	78	126	1,193	4		
Jefferson Juvenile	4,990	2,223	2,057	1,614	1,040	375	327	1,927	3,768	78	
Orleans Juvenile	4,507	2,385		2,812	1,484	1,774	562	4,684	1,112	6	

TRAFFIC REPORT

Parish	Cases Filed	Not Guilty Pleas	Guilty Pleas	Trials	Dispositions Fine	Dispositions Other
Caddo Juvenile	1,404	45	877	34	212	1,077
E. B. R. Juvenile	1,784	181	1,194	185	188	1,492
Jefferson Juvenile	1,564	170	252	6	204	683
Orleans Juvenile	1,999	42	1,244	131	620	2,102

NON DELINQUENCY REPORT

Abandonment; Abortion; Adoption; Neglect/Abuse; Custody Termination; Voluntary Custody Transfer

Parish	Cases Filed	Cont'd Custody Hearings	Motions	Adjudications (Trials)	Dispositions Granted	Dispositions Denied	Dispositions Other	Permanency Planning (18-month) Hearings	Other Judicial Dispositional Reviews
Caddo Juvenile	233	83	101	118	219	6	14	659	5
E. B. R. Juvenile	431	116	62	44	341	1	105	27	200
Jefferson Juvenile	1281	227	446	380	222		1,161	540	2,732
Orleans Juvenile	695	240	5	466	395	16	2,008	41	1,421

NON-SUPPORT REPORT

Criminal Neglect; URESA

Parish	Cases Filed	Pleas Not Guilty	Pleas Guilty	Trials	Consent Judgements	Rules	Sentences Jail	Sentences Other	Misc. Actions
Caddo Juvenile	897	41		61	470	474	8	15	
E. B. R. Juvenile	1,809	16		2	497	1,249	122	1,604	
Jefferson Juvenile	2,709	64		4	1,239	13,858	10	8,527	
Orleans Juvenile	1,815	41	10	47	647	2,713	32	3,343	

ADULT REPORT

Parents in Need of Supervision; Contributing to Delinquency; Divorce; Separation

Parish	Cases Filed	Pleas Not Guilty	Pleas Guilty	Motions	Divorce Granted	Dismissed	Other	Trials	Sentences Rules	Sentences Jail	Sentences Other
Caddo Juvenile											
E. B. R. Family	4,883				2,124	273			5,139		
E. B. R. Juvenile											
Jefferson Juvenile	7	2		15				1			5
Orleans Juvenile											

*Department of Corrections

LOUISIANA CITY AND PARISH COURTS — CASES PROCESSED

CITY	CIVIL Filed	CIVIL Term.	CRIMINAL Filed	CRIMINAL Term.	TRAFFIC * Filed	TRAFFIC * Term.	JUVENILE Filed	JUVENILE Term.	TOTAL CASES Filed	TOTAL CASES Term.	Other Proceedings
Abbeville	264	331	616	604	1972	1,808	245	261	3,097	3,004	0
Alexandria	1,507	555	5,101	4,470	13,079	10,544	924	682	20,611	16,251	0
Ascension	499	192	3,372	2,426	7,470	6,243	606	100	11,947	8,961	0
Baker	200	154	668	478	2,439	2,707	57	80	3,364	3,419	0
Bastrop	802	484	994	851	2,072	1,943	108	64	3,976	3,342	0
Baton Rouge	9,726	7,332	8,737	6,505	92,833	74,652	0	0	111,296	88,489	12,608
Bogalusa	313	252	1,218	1,276	1,115	1,047	212	199	2,858	2,774	1,685
Bossier City	1,506	1,081	2,901	2,882	5,313	4,617	289	228	10,009	8,808	330
Breaux Bridge	272	259	1,364	1,048	1,216	1,172	259	232	3,111	2,71[illegible]	67
Bunkie	169	148	1,125	1,125	568	568	174	174	2,036	2,0[illegible]	0
Crowley	377	106	1,276	848	1,119	1,026	587	459	3,359	2,439	0
Denham Springs	422	377	1,698	1,422	10,050	8,353	502	437	12,672	10,589	3,136
De Ridder	83	62	563	504	1,387	1,257	114	60	2,147	1,883	0
Eunice	294	266	1,341	1,021	1,904	1,904	455	356	3,994	3,547	0
Franklin	155	115	941	811	686	544	68	49	1,850	1,519	0
Hammond	1,021	853	4,700	2,753	7,541	6,154	915	593	14,177	10,353	0
Houma	1,383	1,018	3,984	3,863	3,788	3,187	1,536	1,241	10,691	9,309	304
Jeanerette	135	135	574	516	590	676	60	38	1,359	1,365	0
Jeff. 1st Par. Ct.	3,971	5,528	5,553	6,891	47,513	47,691	0	0	57,037	60,110	35,920
Jeff. 2nd Par. Ct.	2,543	3,136	6,705	7,172	24,908	23,661	0	0	34,156	33,969	24,653
Jennings	493	92	850	728	1,130	777	42	0	2,515	1,597	0
Kaplan	83	61	318	335	795	802	127	119	1,323	1,317	0
Lafayette	1,883	1,768	6,741	6,601	16,617	16,193	880	901	26,121	25,463	643
Lake Charles	2,685	2,263	4,399	2,955	12,806	12,880	263	249	20,153	18,347	0
Leesville	115	20	3,757	3,328	3,292	2,743	115	116	7,279	6,207	0
Marksville	247	179	551	345	410	377	180	85	1,388	986	0
Minden	314	296	864	902	867	1,057	133	128	2,178	2,383	0
Monroe	3,033	2,119	21,063	7522	18,683	5,117	926	601	43,705	15,359	0
Morgan City	273	209	2,338	1,940	3,099	2,659	193	180	5,903	4,988	0
Natchitoches	606	298	1,427	890	1,779	1,792	175	189	3,987	3,169	169
New Iberia	688	619	2,511	2,390	3,811	3,937	151	101	7,161	7,047	123
N.O. 1st City	19,455	14,304	0	0	0	0	0	0	19,455	14,304	0
N.O. 2nd City	1,868	1,168	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,868	1,168	174
N.O. Municipal	0	0	34,539	33,098	0	0	0	0	34,539	33,098	0
N.O. Traffic	0	0	1,983	1,685	160,027	109,721	0	0	162,010	111,406	0
Oakdale	114	61	1,181	1,036	1,456	1,214	135	120	2,886	2,431	15
Opelousas	370	351	3,404	2,840	3,874	3,775	686	523	8,334	7,489	224
Pineville	451	379	762	935	1,025	1,072	516	382	2,754	2,768	0
Plaquemine	203	144	722	361	900	631	30	25	1,855	1,161	0
Port Allen	181	69	453	366	1,002	1,171	66	35	1,702	1,641	44
Rayne	258	459	869	840	450	433	132	128	1,709	1,860	0
Ruston	777	734	1,029	749	1,657	1,251	270	257	3,733	2,991	0
Shreveport	5,560	4,234	8,435	7,321	49,643	49,943	0	0	63,638	61,498	8,425
Slidell	1,139	359	3,065	3,248	3,513	4,062	434	557	8,151	8,226	0
Springhill	291	284	1,066	1,141	293	302	95	71	1,745	1,798	172
Sulphur	712	518	2,022	1,114	16,749	14,799	414	389	19,897	16,820	166
Thibodeaux	355	120	1,698	1,680	3,772	2,086	113	71	5,938	3,957	0
Vidalia	24	16	371	363	1,290	1,335	36	48	1,721	1,762	0
Ville Platte	588	417	1,261	882	539	438	267	235	2,655	1,972	0
West Monroe	848	665	1,757	2,194	2,715	2,603	120	84	5,440	5,546	38
Winnfield	67	45	402	287	586	481	0	0	1,055	813	0
Winnsboro	302	118	736	706	303	256	111	110	1,452	1,190	0
Zachary	196	90	314	219	535	544	0	0	1,045	853	0
State Totals	**69,821**	**54,843**	**164,319**	**136,467**	**541,181**	**444,205**	**13,721**	**10,957**	**789,042**	**646,472**	**88,896**

*DWI is included in the Criminal Column.

LOUISIANA CITY AND PARISH COURTS - CRIMINAL CASES PROCESSED

	FELONY CASES		MISD. VIOLATIONS		ORD. VIOLATIONS		DWI CASES		CRIM. APPEALS	
CITY	Filed	Term.	Filed	Term.	Filed	Term.	Filed	Term.	Filed	Term.
Abbeville	0	0	6	9	536	535	74	60	0	0
Alexandria	0	0	1,228	1,105	3,221	2,781	652	584	0	0
Ascension	0	0	2,916	2,065	50	25	406	336	0	0
Baker	0	0	609	416	11	13	48	49	0	0
Bastrop	0	0	0	0	903	763	90	88	1	0
Baton Rouge	0	0	0	0	7,409	5,259	1,328	1,246	0	0
Bogalusa	173	194	286	262	693	730	65	90	1	0
Bossier City	0	0	0	0	2,545	2,625	356	257	0	0
Breaux Bridge	0	0	56	48	1,204	912	104	88	0	0
Bunkie	0	0	0	0	1,098	1,098	27	27	0	0
Crowley	0	0	681	444	531	368	64	36	0	0
Denham Springs	5	5	288	224	911	844	486	346	8	3
De Ridder	0	0	446	413	34	46	63	45	0	0
Eunice	0	0	460	344	799	610	82	67	0	0
Franklin	0	0	117	49	786	722	35	40	3	0
Hammond	0	0	0	0	4,569	2,695	129	58	2	0
Houma	170	269	2,403	2,159	1,207	1,245	204	190	0	0
Jeanerette	0	0	525	450	32	38	17	28	0	0
Jeff. 1st Par. Ct.	0	0	4,081	5,330	184	270	1,288	1,291	0	0
Jeff. 2nd Par. Ct.	0	0	5,874	6,330	255	244	576	598	0	0
Jennings	0	0	175	144	583	519	92	65	0	0
Kaplan	0	0	3	2	264	283	51	50	0	0
Lafayette	0	0	2,540	2,976	3,547	3,041	654	584	0	0
Lake Charles	0	0	837	814	3,077	1,840	485	301	0	0
Leesville	0	0	218	237	3,184	2,829	355	262	0	0
Marksville	0	0	433	254	1	1	117	90	0	0
Minden	0	0	81	70	697	734	86	98	0	0
Monroe	0	0	0	0	19,684	7,229	1,378	293	1	0
Morgan City	0	0	5	1	2,202	1,843	131	96	0	0
Natchitoches	0	0	1,162	669	47	37	217	183	1	1
New Iberia	0	0	2,302	2,197	88	70	119	122	2	1
N.O. 1st City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
N.O. 2nd City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
N.O. Municipal	0	0	0	0	34,539	33,098	0	0	0	0
N.O. Traffic	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,983	1,685	0	0
Oakdale	0	0	178	183	972	829	30	24	1	0
Opelousas	0	0	2,843	2,497	217	150	344	193	0	0
Pineville	0	0	0	0	638	828	124	107	0	0
Plaquemine	0	0	0	0	681	333	41	28	0	0
Port Allen	0	0	26	34	391	301	36	31	0	0
Rayne	0	0	296	261	555	560	18	19	0	0
Ruston	0	0	749	515	37	40	243	194	0	0
Shreveport	0	0	516	441	6,908	6,060	1,011	820	0	0
Slidell	0	0	128	141	2,391	2,714	546	393	0	0
Springhill	0	0	289	295	726	787	51	59	0	0
Sulphur	98	98	427	218	952	497	545	301	0	0
Thibodeaux	0	0	1,263	1,267	341	328	94	85	0	0
Vidalia	0	0	300	291	7	9	64	63	0	0
Ville Platte	0	0	181	144	1,014	708	66	30	0	0
West Monroe	0	0	0	0	1,545	2,067	211	126	1	1
Winnfield	0	0	0	0	363	260	35	27	4	0
Winnsboro	0	0	0	0	701	672	35	34	0	0
Zachary	0	0	146	81	135	111	33	27	0	0
State Totals	446	566	35,074	33,380	113,485	90,601	15,289	11,914	25	6

LOUISIANA CITY AND PARISH COURTS - TRAFFIC CASES PROCESSED

CITY	STATE CASES		ORDINANCE CASES		PARKING CASES	
	Filed	Term.	Filed	Term.	Filed	Term.
Abbeville	471	450	1,501	1,358	0	0
Alexandria	125	123	12,309	10,249	645	172
Ascension	7,262	5,849	21	274	187	120
Baker	2,358	2,616	57	60	24	31
Bastrop	0	0	2,072	1,943	0	0
Baton Rouge	0	0	72,207	62,259	20,626	12,393
Bogalusa	137	121	978	926	0	0
Bossier City	319	187	4,994	4,430	0	0
Breaux Bridge	597	585	534	516	85	71
Bunkie	4	4	564	564	0	0
Crowley	360	462	759	564	0	0
Denham Springs	4,326	3,753	5,695	4,576	29	24
De Ridder	1,318	1,204	4	2	65	51
Eunice	944	944	955	955	5	5
Franklin	197	187	489	357	0	0
Hammond	0	0	7,541	6,154	0	0
Houma	2,249	1,926	905	748	634	513
Jeanerette	37	84	547	588	6	4
Jeff. 1st Par. Ct.	45,357	45,581	553	471	1,603	1,639
Jeff. 2nd Par. Ct.	23,616	22,349	399	378	893	934
Jennings	967	670	163	107	0	0
Kaplan	401	368	392	431	2	3
Lafayette	983	860	15,634	15,333	0	0
Lake Charles	0	0	12,639	12,812	167	68
Leesville	73	46	3,218	2,696	1	1
Marksville	402	375	0	0	8	2
Minden	49	76	818	981	0	0
Monroe	0	0	18,683	5,117	0	0
Morgan City	25	20	3,032	2,604	42	35
Natchitoches	1,779	1,792	0	0	0	0
New Iberia	3,747	3,871	2	1	62	65
N.O. 1st City	0	0	0	0	0	0
N.O. 2nd City	0	0	0	0	0	0
N.O. Municipal	0	0	0	0	0	0
N.O. Traffic	66,511	56,419	93,516	53,302	0	0
Oakdale	131	132	1,289	1,012	36	70
Opelousas	1,007	1,075	2,501	2,359	366	341
Pineville	0	0	1,025	1,072	0	0
Plaquemine	0	0	900	631	0	0
Port Allen	193	309	808	862	1	0
Rayne	37	39	413	394	0	0
Ruston	706	518	951	733	0	0
Shreveport	28,447	29,057	21,196	20,886	0	0
Slidell	118	176	3,395	3,886	0	0
Springhill	58	54	235	248	0	0
Sulphur	8,672	7,138	8,055	7,661	22	0
Thibodeaux	35	12	2,995	1,691	742	383
Vidalia	1,290	1,329	0	6	0	0
Ville Platte	176	199	363	239	0	0
West Monroe	15	11	2,663	2,516	37	76
Winnfield	0	0	567	461	19	20
Winnsboro	0	0	268	215	35	41
Zachary	414	438	102	92	19	14
State Totals	**205,913**	**191,409**	**308,907**	**235,720**	**26,361**	**17,076**

LOUISIANA CITY AND PARISH COURTS - CIVIL CASES PROCESSED

CITY	DOMESTIC		MENTAL HEALTH		CIV. APPEALS		OTHER CIVIL	
	Filed	Term.	Filed	Term.	Filed	Term.	Filed	Term.
Abbeville	0	0	0	0	0	0	264	331
Alexandria	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,507	555
Ascension	0	0	0	0	1	0	498	192
Baker	0	0	0	0	1	0	199	154
Bastrop	0	0	0	0	0	0	802	484
Baton Rouge	0	0	0	0	0	0	9,726	7,332
Bogalusa	18	25	0	0	0	0	295	227
Bossier City	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,506	1,081
Breaux Bridge	0	0	0	0	0	0	272	259
Bunkie	0	0	0	0	0	0	169	148
Crowley	0	0	0	0	0	0	377	106
Denham Springs	32	24	1	0	4	1	385	352
De Ridder	0	0	0	0	0	0	83	62
Eunice	15	12	0	0	0	0	279	254
Franklin	0	0	0	0	0	0	155	115
Hammond	0	0	0	0	1	0	1,020	853
Houma	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,383	1,018
Jeanerette	0	0	0	0	0	0	135	135
Jeff. 1st Par. Ct.	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,971	5,528
Jeff. 2nd Par. Ct.	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,543	3,136
Jennings	0	0	0	0	0	0	493	92
Kaplan	0	0	0	0	0	0	83	61
Lafayette	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,883	1,768
Lake Charles	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,685	2,263
Leesville	0	0	0	0	0	0	115	20
Marksville	0	0	0	0	2	0	245	179
Minden	0	0	0	0	0	0	314	296
Monroe	0	0	0	0	17	15	3,016	2,104
Morgan City	0	0	0	0	0	0	273	209
Natchitoches	0	0	0	0	0	1	606	297
New Iberia	0	0	0	0	1	0	687	619
N.O. 1st City	0	0	0	0	0	0	19,455	14,304
N.O. 2nd City	0	0	0	0	1	0	1,867	1,168
N.O. Municipal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
N.O. Traffic	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oakdale	0	0	0	0	0	0	114	61
Opelousas	0	0	0	0	0	0	370	351
Pineville	0	0	0	0	2	0	449	379
Plaquemine	0	0	0	0	0	0	203	144
Port Allen	0	0	0	0	0	0	181	69
Rayne	0	0	0	0	0	0	258	459
Ruston	0	0	0	0	0	0	777	734
Shreveport	0	0	0	0	0	0	5,560	4,234
Slidell	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,139	359
Springhill	0	0	0	0	0	0	291	284
Sulphur	0	0	0	0	1	0	711	518
Thibodeaux	0	0	0	0	0	0	355	120
Vidalia	0	0	0	0	0	0	24	16
Ville Platte	0	0	0	0	0	0	588	417
West Monroe	0	0	0	0	0	0	848	665
Winnfield	0	0	0	0	0	0	67	45
Winnsboro	0	0	0	0	1	0	301	118
Zachary	0	0	0	0	0	0	196	90
State Totals	**65**	**61**	**1**	**0**	**32**	**17**	**69,723**	**54,765**

LOUISIANA CITY AND PARISH COURTS - JUVENILE CASES PROCESSED

CITY	DELINQUENCY		STATUS		CHILD VICTIM		MISC. JUV		TRAFFIC	
	Filed	Term.	Filed	Term.	Filed	Term.	Filed	Term.	Filed	Term.
Abbeville	157	168	0	0	10	18	2	2	76	73
Alexandria	323	184	61	47	167	144	135	112	238	195
Ascension	197	0	182	0	212	100	15	0	0	0
Baker	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	57	80
Bastrop	44	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	64	57
Baton Rouge	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bogalusa	92	93	20	16	20	20	0	0	80	70
Bossier City	127	86	32	21	4	0	2	1	124	120
Breaux Bridge	199	121	0	0	0	0	37	82	23	29
Bunkie	116	116	0	0	0	0	41	41	17	17
Crowley	318	270	8	7	53	54	25	25	183	103
Denham Springs	184	179	25	19	1	0	0	0	292	239
De Ridder	37	23	12	1	0	0	0	0	65	36
Eunice	370	271	0	0	0	0	0	0	85	85
Franklin	39	27	0	0	0	0	0	0	29	22
Hammond	382	300	178	89	111	35	0	0	244	169
Houma	914	760	583	458	0	0	0	0	39	23
Jeanerette	51	37	0	0	0	0	0	0	9	1
Jeff. 1st Par. Ct.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jeff. 2nd Par. Ct.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Jennings	31	0	0	0	6	0	5	0	0	0
Kaplan	26	28	32	30	1	1	15	17	53	43
Lafayette	283	298	0	0	76	78	1	3	520	522
Lake Charles	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	263	249
Leesville	52	53	0	0	18	18	6	6	39	39
Marksville	120	41	0	0	0	0	0	0	60	44
Minden	67	62	0	0	0	0	0	0	66	66
Monroe	426	335	20	0	24	0	7	0	449	266
Morgan City	146	134	8	8	0	0	0	0	39	38
Natchitoches	110	133	15	11	10	6	20	20	20	19
New Iberia	151	101	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
N.O. 1st City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
N.O. 2nd City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
N.O. Municipal	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
N.O. Traffic	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Oakdale	46	45	0	0	1	0	53	37	35	38
Opelousas	479	315	27	27	16	17	0	0	164	164
Pineville	131	101	91	63	94	59	59	39	141	120
Plaquemine	30	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Port Allen	53	24	0	0	0	0	12	10	1	1
Rayne	83	81	0	0	0	0	11	10	38	37
Ruston	151	141	19	17	7	7	0	0	93	92
Shreveport	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Slidell	391	369	0	0	43	175	0	13	0	0
Springhill	71	53	0	0	0	0	5	5	19	13
Sulphur	18	23	1	1	0	0	0	0	395	365
Thibodeaux	50	41	17	8	5	0	0	0	41	22
Vidalia	9	15	0	0	0	0	1	1	26	32
Ville Platte	228	198	0	0	0	0	0	0	39	37
West Monroe	54	51	0	0	0	0	0	0	66	33
Winnfield	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Winnsboro	41	41	0	0	0	0	56	55	14	14
Zachary	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
State Totals	**6,797**	**5,350**	**1,331**	**823**	**879**	**732**	**508**	**479**	**4,206**	**3,573**

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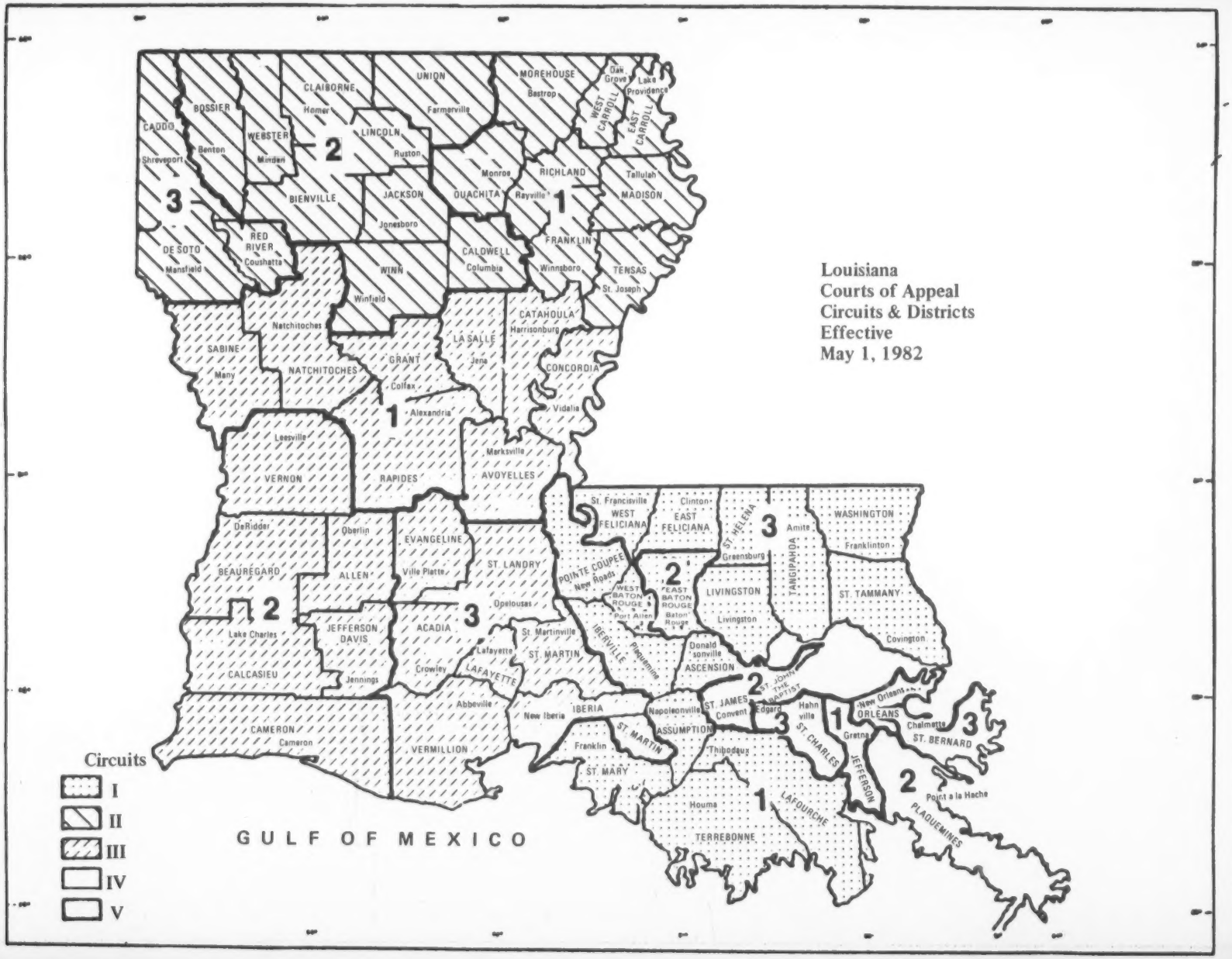
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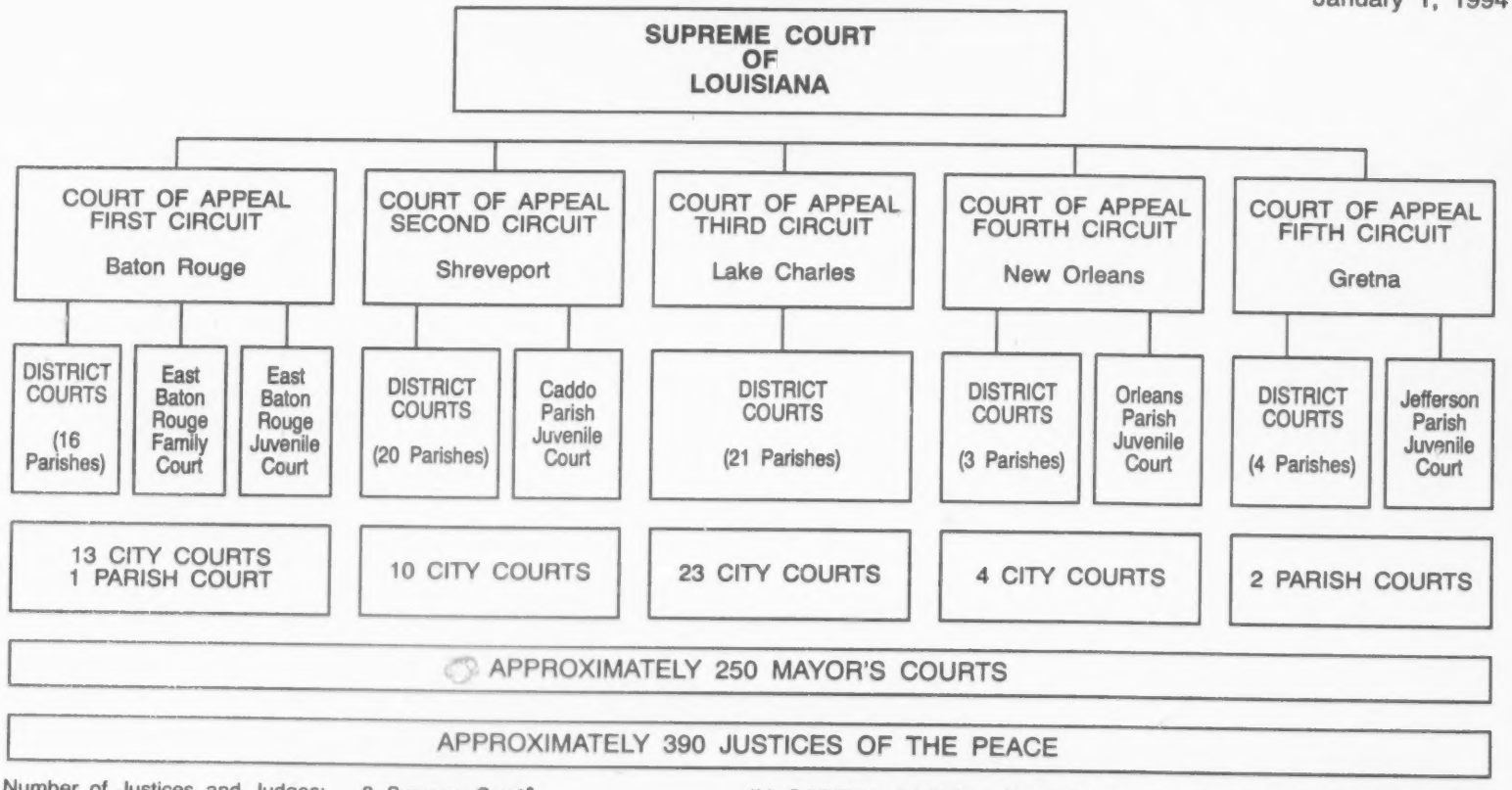

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8	Supreme Court*
54	Courts of Appeal
216	District, Family and Juvenile (Includes 7 Commissioners)
73	City and Parish Courts
351	Total

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*Pursuant to a Consent Decree entered in federal court on August 21, 1992, the Louisiana Supreme Court consists of the seven elected justices, and an assigned justice, effective January 1, 1993.

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Civil (153 is in error) Correction: 53

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		Criminal	Traffic	Total
6	East Carroll Madison Tensas	1599 (error) 553 (correct)	7252 (error) 2998 (correct)	10,338 (error) 3,850(correct)
	District Court Totals	3625 (error) 1599 (correct)	5206 (error) 7252 (correct)	10,318 (error) 10,338 (correct)

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